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NUMBERS 1-289

- 1 ADAMS (JOHN QUINCY). Poems of Religion and Society; with Notices of his Life by Thos. H. Benton, etc. FIRST EDITION. 16mo, original cloth (covers somewhat faded), gilt edges.
New York, 1848

AUTOGRAPH OF THE AUTHOR inserted (signature and two lines). Includes his clever parody (25 stanzas) on Goldsmith's well-known lines,—
“Man wants but little here below,
Nor wants that little long”.

- 2 ADAMS (JOHN QUINCY). Argument before the U. S. Supreme Court in the Case of the U. S., Appellants, vs. Cinque, and other Africans, captured in the Schooner Amistad: with a Review of the Case of the Antelope. 8vo, cloth. New York, 1841

- 3 AERONAUTICS. Wise (John). A System of Aeronautics, its Earliest Investigations and Modern Practice, etc. *Full-page plates of Balloons and curious flying machines.* 8vo, cloth (covers rubbed and text somewhat discolored, though crisp).
Philadelphia, 1850

FIRST EDITION. An account of the various attempts in the Art of Flying from the earliest period to 1782, and later, with history of the author's own experience. PRESENTATION COPY from the publisher to the artist, H. L. Stephens.

- 4 AERONAUTICS. [Haddock (John A.).] Mr. Haddock's Narrative of his Hazardous and Exciting Voyage in the Balloon Atlantic, with Prof. Jno. La Mountain (300 Miles in Four Hours! They Land in the Great Canada Wilderness. Four Days Without Food!, etc.). 8vo, original printed wrappers (slight defects in margins of few leaves).

Philadelphia: Press of Haddock & Son, 1873

A re-issue in pamphlet form from the Watertown (N. Y.) Reformer, of October 5, 1859.

- 5 ALASKA AND THE NORTHWEST COAST. Coxe (William). Account of the Russian Discoveries between Asia and America, (etc). *4 folding maps and folding plate.* 4to, contemporary red morocco, gilt.
London: Cadell, 1780

FIRST EDITION and a clean, crisp copy IN OLD RED MOROCCO, GILT, GILT EDGES. “A gift from the Countess of Seydwitz, mother of the Prince of Suckler-Muscau, son-in-law of Prince Hardenberg, president of the Prussian Ministers under Napoleon I, to M. Mazade, of Livron.” (From MS. inscription in French). Includes original journals and voyages of Russian navigators on the Northwest coast during the 18th century. The first edition is very scarce.

6 ALEXANDER (BREVET BRIGADIER-GENERAL ANDREW J.). Life and Services (including his account of the Fight with Kaniatze's Band, his services in New Mexico and Arizona, etc.) ; with a sketch by James H. Wilson. *Portrait.* Royal 8vo. New York: Printed for the family, 1887

7 ALMANACS. *Kalendario Manual, y Guia De Forasteros en Madrid Año de 1774; (also) Estado Militar de España, 1774. Portrait and Map (in colors).* 2 vols. in one, 18mo, old red morocco, sides gilt tooled and with *Royal Arms*, gilt edges (few leaves a little discolored). Madrid, [1773]

Includes names of Officials, etc., connected with the government of the Spanish Indies in America, etc.

8 ALMANACS. Paredes (José G.). *Almanaque Peruano, y Guia de Forasteros, para el Año de 1817.* 12mo, sheep, (58) leaves. Lima: B. Ruiz, 1816

Includes (44 pages), "Catalogo Historico y Cronologico de los Vireyes y Gobernadores del Peru, con los sucesos mas principales de sus tiempos". Fine copy, with label of W. S. W. Ruschenberger, U.S.N.

9 ALMANACS. The American Anti-Slavery Almanac for 1837, '39 and '41. *Illustrations.* 3 pieces, 12mo, wrappers. Boston and New York, [1836-40]

Cruel treatment of the Slaves, etc., etc.

10 AMERICA. Brothers (Thomas). The United States of North America as They Are; not as They are Generally Described: being a Cure for Radicalism. 8vo, cloth, uncut, pp. 517, (16). London, 1840

A remarkable collection of facts and incidents from personal observation, contemporary newspapers, etc., brought together for the purpose of discrediting America. "Murders, Riots and other outrages, 1834-'38; Atrocities of the Americans towards the Negroes and Abolitionists; Inhuman Treatment of Prisoners; Riots and Murders at the Elections; burning of houses, attacks on churches, etc.; system of Banking; miserable condition of the working classes; lynching outrages; Ill Treatment of the Cherokees and other Indians, etc., etc." The author resided for fifteen years in the country. VERY SCARCE.

11 AMERICAN ANTIQUE POWDER HORN, ENGRAVED WITH FOX HUNTING SCENE, 1797. An interesting old American Powder Horn, with quaint engraved scene of a Man on Horseback following the Hounds after a Fox. Owner's name, "C. SNYDER, A. D. 1797", within an ornamental border at top. Length over all, 14 $\frac{1}{4}$ inches. Dated, 1797

The rider is shown, not as a plain countryman chasing the fox for the purpose of destroying a hen-house pest, but as a gentleman, a true lover

of the sport, *without* gun or other firearms, and dressed and accoutred according to the best English traditions of the time, in bag-wig, boots, spurs, etc., riding after the hounds for sheer pleasure and recreation. The hounds are long-eared and stout-bodied, and are of the same breed that one sees to-day. The owner was a Pennsylvanian and a relative of Gov. Simon Snyder, of the Colonial period.

Contemporary prints, showing Fox Hunting scenes in America at this time, are very rare, if known at all; hence any engraved representation of this sport, executed at this period, is of great interest.

A FINE, GENUINE AND RICHLY COLORED SPECIMEN, of good workmanship, with the original woodcut plug at the large end. RARE VARIETY.

12 AMERICAN LAW JOURNAL (THE) and Miscellaneous Repertory. Edited by John E. Hall. Vols. 1 to 6 COMPLETE (*all issued*), with title-pages and Indexes. 6 vols., 8vo, sheep (names on one title and one or two bindings a little rubbed—not uniform in size or binding). Philadelphia and Baltimore, 1808-1817

COMPLETE SET OF THIS VERY RARE AND IMPORTANT PUBLICATION, including, with separate title-page, THOMAS JEFFERSON's "Proceedings of the Government of the United States, in maintaining THE PUBLIC RIGHT TO THE BEACH OF THE MISSISSIPPI, adjacent to NEW ORLEANS, against the Intrusion of Edward Livingston, with corrections and Additional Notes prepared especially for this work"; and, also with separate title-page, EDWARD LIVINGSTON's "Answer to Mr. Jefferson's Justification of his Conduct in the Case of the New Orleans Batture", here first printed from the author's original manuscript;—besides a great quantity of other original material relating to this celebrated case, "a law-suit the most important and interesting to be found in the juridical history of our country, whether we regard the singular circumstances of the property in dispute, the variety and intricacy of the laws respecting it, or the ingenuity, learning and eloquence of the eminent persons by whom the affair was so ably investigated". Includes also the "CASE OF THE HON. JOHN SMITH, SENATOR FROM OHIO", accused of participation in THE BURR CONSPIRACY; Review of the TRIALS OF JUDGE WORKMAN AND COL. KERR, for setting on foot A MILITARY EXPEDITION AGAINST FLORIDA AND MEXICO, A Faithful Picture of the POLITICAL SITUATION AT NEW ORLEANS, 1807, Debate in the Assembly of the Territory of Orleans respecting THE CONDUCT OF GEN. JAMES WILKINSON; The Case of THE GEORGIA (LAND) SALES ON THE MISSISSIPPI CONSIDERED, with a reference to Law Authorities and Public Acts, with Official Papers and Records, being an exhaustive review of THE YAZOO CASE by ROBERT GOODLOE HARPER, contributed specially to this work; together with a large number of opinions, etc. of eminent jurists relative to the Constitution, various American and other Treaties, Admiralty and International Law cases, early Patent Right litigation, Reports of important cases in various parts of the country, many of which ARE NOWHERE ELSE TO BE FOUND IN PRINT, etc., etc.

Several interruptions to the progress of publication, with consequent inaccuracies in pagination, etc., were caused by the editor's having been caught in THE BALTIMORE RIOTS and thrown for dead among a pile of corpses, before his escape from the town; and later, by the hastened departure of both himself and the printer, to take up arms in the WAR OF 1812. Seldom has a periodical publication been fated to struggle against such curious and discouraging circumstances. Vols. 1, 3 and 6 were published at Philadelphia; Vols. 2, 4 and 5 at Baltimore. Sabin knew only of Vol. 1, and there is apparently NO AUCTION RECORD WHATEVER ON A COMPLETE SET OF THE WORK.

- 13 AMERICAN NAVY.** Report . . . November 17, 1807 (on President Jefferson's Message relating to Aggressions within our Ports and Waters by Foreign Armed Vessels). 8vo, sewn (ink number on title). Washington, 1807

Includes summary of facts relating to the attack on the *Chesapeake* by the British ship *Leopard* and seizure of four American citizens; with LETTER FROM COMMODORE BARRON DESCRIBING THE ENGAGEMENT, etc.

- 14 AMERICAN NAVY.** COM. O. H. PERRY'S BRASS POWDER FLASK, with the embossed *naval anchor* and "U. S. N." on sides, and with stamped initials, "O. H. P." near top. Only the two sides remain, the connecting strips and nozzle having been removed. Date *ca.* 1812

An interesting piece, having been taken apart, no doubt, by some one, for the purpose of making an electric lamp, or some other household device, from the remaining parts, which lend themselves admirably to such a purpose.

- 15 AMERICAN NAVY.** ORIGINAL MANUSCRIPT PLAN FOR THE RE-ORGANIZATION OF THE NAVAL ESTABLISHMENT OF THE UNITED STATES, submitted to President JAMES MONROE BY SAMUEL L. SOUTHARD, Secretary of the Navy. Written (by an amanuensis) on 20 pages, folio, and tied with silk ribbon. Autographed at end by Samuel L. Southard. Dated, January, 1824

- 16 AMERICAN NAVY.** Sailors on Shore, being the Humorous Adventures of Dick Haulyard and his Shipmates on a Land Cruize. 8 comic lithographic plates. Oblong 4to, printed wrappers. Philadelphia, [ca. 1835]

- 17 AMERICAN POETRY.** The Counterpart to the State-Dunces. By a Native of New-York. Folio, unbound, pp. 10.

London: Printed for W. Mears, 1733

VERY RARE. Choice copy, and lacking in all the check lists except Wegelin, who quotes the title, but fails to locate a copy. Preserved in a half morocco protecting case.

[SEE ILLUSTRATION]

- 18 AMERICAN POETRY.** Beveridge (John). Epistolæ Familiares, etc.). Familiar Epistles, and other Miscellaneous Pieces . . . (With historical prose notes). 12mo, sewn (some corners frayed). Philadelphia: Printed for the Author by William Bradford, 1765

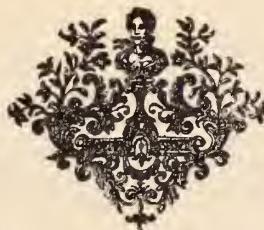
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AMERICAN POETRY. See also under AMERICAN REVOLUTION.

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A VERY RARE ITEM OF EARLY AMERICAN POETRY
[NUMBER 17]

- 19 AMERICAN REVOLUTION.** [Seabury (Samuel).] Free Thoughts on the Proceedings of the Continental Congress, Held at Philadelphia Sept. 5, 1774: wherein Their Errors are exhibited, Their Reasonings Confuted, (etc.), and the Only Means pointed out for Preserving and Securing Our Present Happy Constitution, (etc.). By a Farmer. 8vo, sewn, pp. 24.

[New-York]: Printed [by James Rivington] in the Year, 1774

ORIGINAL EDITION. Signed A. W[estchester] Farmer on page 23. This particularly offensive Tory pamphlet, addressed to "The Farmers and other Inhabitants of North America", was answered by ALEXANDER HAMILTON in his "Full Vindication", described under the succeeding number.

- 20 AMERICAN REVOLUTION.** [Hamilton (Alexander).] A Full Vindication of the Measures of the Congress, from the Calumnies of their Enemies; In Answer to a Letter, under the Signature of A. W. Farmer, (etc.) 8vo, sewn, pp. 35 (diagonal strip torn from lower margin of title slightly affecting two letters in imprint date). New-York: Printed by James Rivington, 1774

HAMILTON'S FIRST PRINTED PAMPHLET. "Written in answer to (Seabury's) 'Free Thoughts on the Proceedings of the Continental Congress . . . By a (Westchester) Farmer', and issued from the press within a fortnight of that pamphlet's publication. Although written by Hamilton when but seventeen years of age, and a student in Kings (now Columbia) College, it was so able in style and argument that the authorship was attributed to both William Livingston and John Jay".—*Ford*. ORIGINAL EDITION and a Large Copy, with many leaves uncut at lower edges. Autograph of PETER A. JAY on title. EXTREMELY RARE.

- 21 AMERICAN REVOLUTION.** [Cooper (Myles).] A Friendly Address to All Reasonable Americans, on the Subject of our Political Confusions: In which the Necessary Consequences of Violently Opposing the King's Troops, and of a General Non-Importation are Fairly Stated. 8vo, sewn, pp. 55, (1).

New-York: Printed [by James Rivington] in the Year, 1774

THE RARE ORIGINAL EDITION. The Rev. Myles Cooper was president of Kings (now Columbia) College, New York, while ALEXANDER HAMILTON, then a boy of seventeen, was a student at that institution. His sentiments were so notoriously in favor of the mother country, that a band of students set out at midnight in August, 1775, with the design of "seizing him in his bed, shaving his head, cutting off his ears, slitting his nose, stripping him naked and setting him adrift". News of the plot reached him just in time to enable him to escape by a back window, whence he took refuge on a British man-of-war.

- 22 AMERICAN REVOLUTION.** [Lee (Charles).] Strictures on a Pamphlet, entitled a "Friendly Address to All Reasonable Americans, on the Subject of our Political Confusions". Addressed to the People of America. 8vo, sewn, pp. 15.

Philadelphia: W. & T. Bradford, 1774

THE RARE ORIGINAL EDITION. Sabin cites seven editions between 1774 and 1775.

- 23 AMERICAN REVOLUTION. [Livingston (Philip).] The Other Side of the Question: or, A Defence of the Liberties of North-America. In Answer to a late Friendly Address to All Reasonable Americans, on the Subject of Our Political Confusions. By a Citizen. 8vo, sewn, pp. 29, (1), (1).
New-York: Printed by James Rivington, 1774

ORIGINAL EDITION.

- 24 AMERICAN REVOLUTION. [Shipley (Jonathan).] A Speech intended to have been spoken by the Bishop of St. Asaph, on the Bill for altering the Charters of the Colony of Massachusetts Bay. 8vo, sewn, pp. 18.

London: Philadelphia: B. Towne, 1774

This issue, printed by Benjamin Towne, is much scarcer than the one issued by the Bradfords. It is thought that BENJAMIN FRANKLIN was concerned in the publication of this famous unspoken address, which did so much to hearten the colonists in their contest with the mother country.

- 25 AMERICAN REVOLUTION. [Jefferson (Thomas?).] A Dialogue between a Southern Delegate and his Spouse, on his return from the Grand Continental Congress. A Fragment, inscribed to the Married Ladies of America. 8vo, sewn.

N. p.: Printed in the Year 1774

An interesting item of EARLY AMERICAN POETRY. In Mr. J. B. Chandler's copy, there was a note to the effect that this tract in verse was believed to have been written by THOMAS JEFFERSON.

- 26 AMERICAN REVOLUTION. [Wilson (James).] Considerations on the Nature and Extent of the Legislative Authority of the British Parliament. 8vo, sewn, pp. (4), 35.

Philadelphia: W. & T. Bradford, 1774

The author was an eminent Philadelphia lawyer and SIGNER OF THE DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE. ORIGINAL EDITION. RARE.

- 27 AMERICAN REVOLUTION. [Lind (Jonathan).] An Englishman's Answer, to the Address from the Delegates, to the People of Great Britain, in a Letter to the Several Colonies, which were represented in the late Continental Congress. 8vo, sewn, pp. (2), 26, including *half-title*.

New-York: Printed by James Rivington, 1775

This is the original edition of a work written while the author was in America "on a journey of business", and printed from his original manuscript under his own supervision. It is a calm, well-reasoned and very impressive performance, replying to the "ADDRESS FROM THE DELEGATES OF THE TWELVE UNITED COLONIES, TO THE PEOPLE OF GREAT BRITAIN", which was first printed in Philadelphia by the Bradfords in 1775. The above is listed in Evans, with the remark that "five editions, at least, were printed in London in 1776." As a matter of fact, the London pamphlet, which was an answer to, and an analysis of, the DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE, was an entirely different work, containing over five times as many pages. The first London pamphlet was privately printed, and, it is possible, contained incorporated in it some of the

arguments, if not all of them, which first appeared in the American work. Owing to the author's having been recently in America, at the seat of trouble, the work was brought to the attention of the British Ministry, at whose suggestion it was garbled somewhat in the first published London edition. The New York pamphlet was unknown to Sabin and is quite rare.

- 28 AMERICAN REVOLUTION. The Patriots of North-America: A Sketch. With Explanatory Notes. 8vo, sewn, pp. iv, 47, (1) New-York: Printed [by James Rivington] in the Year, 1775

ORIGINAL EDITION OF A RARE ITEM OF REVOLUTIONARY POETRY, in which "a Tory reviles the Whigs in verse". The author, anticipating the appearance of his work in England, for "there is not a single pamphlet, written in North-America, that does not, by some accident or other, find its way there", appends several pages (13) of prose notes explaining to his English brethren his various gibes at the peculiar practices and customs prevailing in the Colonies at the time; among the "greasy followers" of patriotic agitators, printers, hackwriters, public speakers, etc.

- 29 AMERICAN REVOLUTION. Burgh (J.). Political Disquisitions; or, an Enquiry into Public Errors, Defects, and Abuses, (etc). 3 vols., 8vo, original mottled sheep.

Philadelphia: R. Bell, 1775

Includes a lengthy discussion of the governmental abuses in England and the Colonies, which led up to the Revolution. The work exerted considerable influence at the time, and did much towards convincing the colonists of the righteousness of their cause. GENERAL WASHINGTON, as well as several "Signers" and members of the CONTINENTAL CONGRESS, were among the subscribers.

- 30 AMERICAN REVOLUTION. [Hamilton (Alexander).] The Farmer Refuted, etc. 8vo, sewn, pp. 78 (lacks title and preliminary leaf). [New-York: Printed by James Rivington, 1775]

Hamilton's second published pamphlet.

- 31 AMERICAN REVOLUTION. An Address of the Convention of the Representatives of the State of New-York to their Constituents. 8vo, sewn, pp. 19 (edges somewhat unevenly trimmed).

Fish-Kill: Printed by S. Loudon, 1776

VERY RARE. "A Revolutionary piece of the greatest interest to New Yorkers as it bears contemporary evidence of the spirit and patriotism of the times. It was issued when the outlook was darkest; the State Government had just been driven from New York City, which was in possession of the British, and the date of the issuing of the appeal is just two days before Washington revived the hopes of all patriots by his brilliant victory at Trenton."—*De Puy Catalogue*.

AN INTERESTING COPY OF THE ORIGINAL EDITION, in which the authorship of the address is attributed (in a contemporary hand on title) to JOHN JAY.

- 32 AMERICAN REVOLUTION. [Leacock (John).] The Fall of British Tyranny: or, American Liberty Triumphant. The First Campaign. A Tragi-Comedy of Five Acts, as lately



"THE WISHING FEMALES"

AN EXTREMELY RARE COLORED MEZZOTINT BELIEVED TO HAVE BEEN
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[NUMBER 36]

planned at the Royal Theatrum Pandemonium, at St. James's.
The Principal Place of Action in America. 8vo, sewn, pp. viii, 66.
Philadelphia: Styner and Cist, 1776

One of the rarest of a group of dramatic satires which appeared in America during the Revolution. With Prologue and Epilogue in verse and songs and other verses in the text. The piece was much enjoyed at the time, having been reprinted at Boston and Providence the same year.

- 33 AMERICAN REVOLUTION. West (Samuel). A Sermon before the Honorable Council, and House of Representatives, of the Colony of Massachusetts-Bay, May 29th, 1776. Being the Anniversary for the Election of the Council, etc. Small 8vo, sewn, (old name on half-title). Boston: John Gill, 1776

Devoted in large part to a discussion of the AMERICAN COLONIES' DISPUTE WITH THE MOTHER COUNTRY and THE REVOLUTIONARY WAR, just then beginning. Shortly after the Battle of Bunker Hill, the author joined the American forces and performed signal service for GENERAL WASHINGTON by deciphering a treasonable letter from Dr. Benj. Church to an officer in the British army.

- 34 AMERICAN REVOLUTION. [Roebuck (John).] An Enquiry, whether the Guilt of the Present Civil War in America, ought to be imputed to Great Britain or America. 8vo, sewn, pp. (2), 69. London: John Donaldson, 1776

ORIGINAL EDITION. "Throws the whole blame and guilt of the American War on the Colonists, whom the author charges with the most notorious folly, wickedness and ingratitude."

- 35 AMERICAN REVOLUTION. BROADSIDE. To the Congress. The Remonstrance of the Subscribers, Citizens of Philadelphia. (Signed by Israel Pemberton and others, and dated, 5th, 9 mo. 1777). Folio, uncut (small hole at fold).
[Philadelphia:] Printed by Robert Bell, in Third Street, [1777]

The subscribers were imprisoned in consequence of their refusal "not to depart from their dwelling-houses, and to engage to refrain from doing anything injurious to the United States, by speaking, writing, or otherwise, and from giving intelligence to the commander of the British forces", etc. RARE.

- 36 AMERICAN REVOLUTION. MEZZOTINT ENGRAVING, IN COLORS, entitled "The Wishing Females". An exceedingly interesting and curious print in which are shown two young ladies seated in an interior chamber looking through a window at some British officers and soldiers standing about in front of their tents in the background. Size, 10 x 13½ inches (affixed to a leaf of an old scrap-book from which it was extracted, and with one or two very slight surface defects which could be very easily repaired). N. p., n. d. [Ca. 1777-78]

Though unsigned and undated, this print is believed to have been engraved in Philadelphia during the occupation of that city by the British troops under General Sir William Howe, in 1777-'78. The conspicuously towering headdresses worn by the ladies and the peculiar

title given to the print, incline one to the belief that it was conceived in a spirit of ridicule and aimed at the custom then prevailing among the tory ladies of wearing their hair in the latest and most extreme English mode, out of compliment to the officers of the invading army. These extraordinarily high headdresses played a conspicuous part in the political gossip of the day, and were of themselves sufficient to brand any family in which they were worn as inimical to the liberties of America. The practice was bitterly complained of by the American soldiers, who had heard so much about the gala balls and other entertainments given in honor of the enemy during their absence, one of the most notable of these being the famous MISCHIANZA, which was so brilliantly participated in by the unfortunate MAJOR ANDRÉ. The rather peculiar title of the print, also, might be explained to some extent by a reference to the "impudent profligacy" displayed by some of the British officers at the time. An instance of this is shown in an advertisement appearing in one of the Philadelphia papers during the occupation: "Wanted to hire with two single gentlemen, a young woman, to act in the capacity of housekeeper, and who can occasionally put her hand to *any* thing. Extravagant wages will be given and *no character* required. Any young woman who chooses to offer, may be further informed at the bar of the City Tavern".

The costumes worn and the style of the chairs and interior furnishings stamp the print unmistakably as of this period, and the workmanship is *American* at a glance. There were men in the Colonies at that time quite capable of doing work as good, and then there is the possibility that some one in the British army might have been responsible for its execution. That there were men of varied talents and capabilities in the British ranks is well known. Much in the way of prints, broadsides, etc., has come down to us from these early days, but we venture to assume that as much again, perhaps, has been lost and is now utterly unknown.

The print originated in the Philadelphia section, and so far as we have been able to ascertain, no other copy of it is known to exist.

[SEE ILLUSTRATION]

GUNSMITHS' BILLS FOR ARMS USED IN THE REVOLUTIONARY WAR, 1777-82

- 37 AMERICAN REVOLUTION. A Collection of CONTEMPORARY MANUSCRIPT BILLS rendered to the Pennsylvania COMMITTEE OF SAFETY BY EBENEZER COWELL, SAMUEL LEHMAN and others for repairing and making MUSKETS, BLUNDERBUSSES, CARBINES, PISTOLS, etc., for the Pennsylvania Troops in the field during the Revolution. 36 pieces, folio, 4to, etc.

Dated Philadelphia, 1777-82

The above are the duplicate bills retained by the gunsmiths themselves, for the purpose of keeping a record of their accounts with the State Committee of Safety. They are all minutely itemized, with notes as to dates of delivery, etc., and comprise a series of considerable value to the student, as well as to those interested in the history of early AMERICAN FIRE ARMS. Cowell appears to have let out some of the work to others, and several of the bills are made out to him by these workers for stocks or parts of the arms made or repaired. As in other lines of collecting, the identity of the individual workers is what is most eagerly sought for, and we have no doubt but that there are names here which will aid in the identification of marks not hitherto known. Material of this kind is very rarely met with, even in single pieces. (36 pieces as a lot.)

- 38 AMERICAN REVOLUTION. Serious Reflections affectionately recommended to the Well-disposed of every Religious

Denomination, particularly those who mourn and lament on account of the Calamities which attend us, etc. (By A. Benezet). 12mo, pp. 3. [Philadelphia, 1778]

A preaching on the abolition of War, such as we are having such a plentiful supply of at the present time.

- 39 AMERICAN REVOLUTION. Serious Considerations on several Important Subjects; viz. (War, Slavery, bad Effects of Spirituous Liquors). 12mo, sewn. Philadelphia, 1778

- 40 AMERICAN REVOLUTION. Report of Commissioners [to His Excellency GEORGE WASHINGTON, Esq., General and Commander in Chief, etc.] for Settling a Cartel for the Exchange of Prisoners. 8vo, sewn, pp. 20.

Philadelphia: Printed by D. C. Claypoole, 1779

EXTREMELY RARE. The Commissioners (Capt. JOHN ANDRÉ and West Hyde, for Sir Henry Clinton; Col. Wm. Davies and Col. Robt. H. Harrison, for Gen. Washington), met at Amboy, New Jersey, April 12th, 1779. The British proposals, which were "final and determined", were for "an immediate delivery of all prisoners in possession of either party"; but the Americans, having "no certain knowledge that any of our privates were prisoners in their hands, but knowing that we had near 700 in ours, besides BURGOYNE AND HIS WHOLE ARMY," were unwilling to accept their terms, particularly since the British officers could not guarantee that Clinton's proposals would be ratified by the King. The pamphlet includes letters back and forth, the Tariff proposed by the British for the Exchange, etc.

Congress ordered the report printed and forwarded to the American prisoners in the hands of the enemy, but it is very doubtful if the pamphlets ever reached those for whom they were intended. FINE, CLEAN COPY.

- 41 AMERICAN REVOLUTION. Journals of the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, 1776-81; with the Proceedings of the several Committees and Conventions before and at the Commencement of the American Revolution. Vol. I (*all published*). Folio, old sheep (binding rubbed).

Philadelphia: Printed by John Dunlap, 1782

ONLY 200 COPIES PRINTED. Contains, RESOLVES OF THE COMMITTEE, 1774; PROCEEDINGS OF THE CONVENTION, 1775; PROCEEDINGS OF THE PROVINCIAL COUNCIL OF COMMITTEES, at Carpenter's-Hall, 1776; MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE CONVENTION, 1776; MINUTES OF THE ASSEMBLY to 1781; and other papers relating to the establishment of the republican form of government in Pennsylvania and the UNITED STATES. Tall copy, with text particularly *crisp and clean*. RARE.

- 42 AMERICAN REVOLUTION. Griffin (M. I. J.). Stephen Moylan (Life and Services during the Am. Revolution). *Colored plate of "a Moylan Dragoon," facsimiles, etc.* 8vo, cloth.

Philadelphia, 1909

Only a few printed. Moylan was secretary and *aide* to Gen. Washington and Quartermaster General. He was the first and last president of the Friendly Sons of St. Patrick, of Philadelphia.

- 43 AMERICAN WEEKLY MESSENGER (THE); or, Register of State Papers, History and Polities. [Edited by John Conrad.] Vols. 1 and 11, Sept. 25, 1813—Sept. 17, 1814, with title-pages and Indexes. (All published.) 2 vols., large 8vo, boards. Philadelphia, 1813-14

An unsuccessful venture and scarce, abounding in original material relating to GEN'L JACKSON'S INDIAN WAR IN THE SOUTH, THE WAR OF 1812, etc. Includes the 4 supplemental numbers to Vol. 1. Crisp copy.

- 44 ANTIQUE BRASS WORK. Catalogue of Brass Fenders, Spark and Fire Guards, Feet and other Ornaments for Furniture, Lanterns, Fancy Bird-Cages, Hurdles, Wire Trellis, Flower Borderings, and numerous other objects; with prices. 90 plates in tint and colors. Small 4to, half roan (no title-page: English).

Dated on front cover, 1829

- 45 ANTIQUE GLASS. Dyott (T. W.). An Exposition of the System of Moral and Mental Labor, established at the Glass Factory of Dyottville (Kensington, near) Philadelphia; with A DESCRIPTION OF THE FACTORY, THE SYSTEM OF INDUSTRY THEREIN PURSUED, etc. 8vo, sewn. Philadelphia, 1833

Dyott was the maker of the "Railroad", "Franklin", "Lafayette" and others among the old glass bottles so much sought after by collectors in latter years. Refers briefly to the early history of Glass making in the U. S., the method of making bottles and other articles, etc. Early books and pamphlets on this subject are rarely seen.

- 46 ANTIQUE INTERIOR WOODWORK. Publisher's announcement of Abraham Swan's "Collection of Designs in Architecture, . . . with a great Variety of Sections of Rooms; from a Common Room, to the most grand and magnificent. Their Decorations (in 60 plates by J. Norman), viz., Bases, Subbases, Freezes, and Cornices properly enriched with Foliages, Frets and Flowers, in a New Grand Taste, Margins, Mouldings, etc." 8vo leaflet. [Philadelphia: R. Bell, 1775]

Only a very small fragment of this interesting work has survived.

- 47 ANTIQUE INTERIOR WOODWORK. Articles of the Carpenters Company of the City and County of Philadelphia: and their Rules for Measuring and Valuing House Carpenters Work, as revised and agreed on in the year 1805. 8vo, old sheep (back chipped and joints cracking).

Philadelphia: Printed by D. Humphreys, 1805

Contains 21 ENGRAVED PLATES OF MANTELS, WINDOW AND DOOR-FRAMES, MOULDINGS, FAN-SHAPED WINDOWS, FRET-WORK, COLUMNS, GATES, etc., etc. Includes list of the Company, with names of deceased members up to 1805 marked off, manuscript additions, etc.

- 48 ARKANSAS TERRITORY. A COLLECTION OF 17 ORIGINAL DOCUMENTS on vellum, Land Warrants (dated 1820-'22), all signed by PRESIDENT JAMES MONROE, for various TRACTS OF LAND

in the MILITARY BOUNTY TRACT in Pulaski and other counties of ARKANSAS; together with a MAP OF THE TERRITORY, showing public surveys to October, 1837 (partly colored by hand) and a number (17) of ORIGINAL AUTOGRAPH LETTERS, all written in Arkansas, relating to the said lands. (35 pieces in all, dated between 1820-1842).

The letters are from GEORGE IZARD, FIRST GOVERNOR OF THE TERRITORY, and WM. E. WOODRUFF. The Woodruff letters are particularly interesting on account of his having been the printer and editor of THE ARKANSAS GAZETTE, THE FIRST NEWSPAPER IN THE TERRITORY. Some of the letters refer to his printing establishment there and to his successor in the enterprise, Edward Cole. The land warrants are accompanied by the original indentures, signed by the soldier-pattees or their heirs, transferring the lands to Robert Toland, of Philadelphia, the prices paid ranging from fifteen to sixty three cents an acre. One of the warrants has a document attached signed by PRESIDENT JOHN QUINCY ADAMS.

Four of the letters bear interesting pictorial post-marks (of LITTLE ROCK), which are quite different from those usually seen.

- 49 **ARKANSAS TERRITORY LAWS.** Laws of the Arkansas Territory, compiled and Arranged by J. Steele and J. M'Campbell, Esqs., under the Direction and Superintendance of John Pope, Esq., Governor of the Territory of Arkansas. Square small 8vo, sheep (contemporary personal name stamped on title—few leaves slightly time-discolored), pp. (2), (2), 562, (12).

LITTLE ROCK, ARK. TER.: Printed by J. Steele, Esq., 1835

RARE. Includes, THE CONSTITUTION OF THE UNITED STATES AND AMENDMENTS, TREATY OF CESSION BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES AND THE FRENCH REPUBLIC, ACT FOR THE GOVERNMENT OF THE TERRITORY OF MISSOURI, AN ACT ESTABLISHING a Separate Territorial Government in the SOUTHERN PART OF THE TERRITORY OF MISSOURI, etc.

- 50 **ARKANSAS.** Guide Manual to Hot Springs, Arkansas. 8vo, sewn, pp. 24.

Hot Springs: The Courier News and Job Office, 1870

One of the earliest historical guides to Hot Springs, crudely printed, edges uneven. RARE.

- 51 **ATLANTIC, LAKE AND MISSISSIPPI TELEGRAPH:** constructed under the arrangements of Henry O'Reilly and extending between the Atlantic and the Mississippi, from the Canadian Frontier to the Mexican Gulf, including the Lake Country and Ohio Valley. About 4,000 miles constructed and 4,000 more under construction. A collection of several pamphlets under this general title. 8vo, original wrappers. New York, 1849

Detail and statements prepared for the Kentucky court of the first Overland Telegraph. Outline library stamp on several pages. A number of corrections in the hand of the author (Col. Charles B. Morse). One of a few copies printed for use in court.

- 52 **AUTOGRAPHS.** Album belonging to Miss Thomasine Gist, a singer, of Charleston, S. C., containing numerous signatures, signed sentiments, music, drawings, poems, letters, etc., many

covering a full-page, by famous persons of the time:—Adelina Patti, Henriette Sontag (Rossi), Anne C. Lynch (a poem), Maurice Strakosch, Daniel Webster (A. N. s.), Ole Bull (A. L. s., photo and signed full-page inscription), Pres. James Buchanan, G. P. A. Healy, the artist (full-page), Harriet Martineau, Carl Bergmann, Alfred Tally, Paul Suliez, Cesare Badiali, Nellie Melba (A. L. s.), and others, 34 in all. 4to (shaken and unbound).

Ca., 1852

53 AUTOGRAPHS. Buchanan (James—President U. S.). Signature and four lines of writing on letter cover.

54 AUTOGRAPHS. Clay (Henry). A. N. s., Washington, Jan. 17, 1841. To W. D. Lewis, his former secretary.

55 AUTOGRAPHS. A COLLECTION OF AUTOGRAPH LETTERS of persons distinguished in various walks of life, almost entirely composed of Invitations to various social and other functions, public as well as private, in Philadelphia, New York, London, Paris, etc., including acceptances, declinations, etc. The letters are mostly in autograph, though some are partly printed and engraved. The collection was formed by Wm. D. Lewis, former secretary to Hon. HENRY CLAY, and the letters are dated between (*ca.*) 1815 and 1866, with a few of a later date. About 384 pieces as a lot (some discolored from age, etc.). *Ca.* 1815-66, etc.

Among the names represented are, Henry Clay, Mrs. John Quincy Adams (2), Com. Bainbridge, U. S. N. (2), Richard Rush, Sir Robt. K. Porter (Court painter to the Emperor Alexander of Russia), Mrs. Isaac Hull, Sir Charles Bagot, Mrs. (Wm.) Wirt, Edward Coles (Gov. of Ill.), Charles Pinckney, Pres't Wm. Henry Harrison (Inauguration Ball), John Neagle (the artist), Com. Read, U. S. N., Pres't Martin Van Buren, Wm. B. Wood (the actor), Com. Preble, U. S. N., Christopher Hughes (Am. diplomat), Sam Houston (to hear him lecture on the Indians), L. A. Godey, Com. R. F. Stockton, U. S. N., Simon Cameron, W. H. Seward, T. Butler King, Gen. Pleasanton (to meet 'Parson' Brownlow), Com. Shaw, U. S. N. (to a cotillon on board the *Independence*), Geo. H. Boker (the poet), H. C. Carey, David Paul Brown, Grover Cleveland (Inauguration Ball) and numerous others.

The collection is interesting from the standpoint of the history of the changing styles in the etiquette of note writing in polite circles for nearly a century, and should go to some prominent institution for the education of young ladies, where it could form the nucleus of a more extensive collection. We are not aware of any such collection having been hitherto attempted.

56 AUTOGRAPHS. JEFFERSON (THOMAS). Cheque for \$30 on the Bank of the United States, July 13, 1793, to Mr. (Charles) Petit. Filled out and signed in Jefferson's handwriting.

Charles Pettit, the payee, was a prominent Revolutionary patriot and later a merchant of Philadelphia.

57 AUTOGRAPHS. Houston (Sam—Texas Pioneer). L. s., 1 p., 4to, Washington, Apl. 19, 1846. (Two holes at fold and discolored; fine signature, crisp).

- 58 **AUTOGRAPHS.** Madison (James—President U. S.). L. s., 1 p., 4to, with address, Montpelier, (Va.), Nov. 19, 1835. To Aaron Vail, U. S. Chargé d'Affaires, at London.

The body of the letter is in the handwriting of Mrs. Dolly Madison. The letter introduces to Mr. V. the well-known author and traveller, Wm. B. Sprague, though his name is partially erased.

- 59 **AUTOGRAPHS.** Monroe (James—President U. S.). D. s. as Governor of Virginia. Folio, 1801.

- 60 **AUTOGRAPHS.** Randolph (Beverley). D. s. (on vellum) as Lieut. Gov. of Virginia, while his brother, John Randolph, the governor, was absent in Philadelphia attending the Constitutional Convention, 1787.

- 61 **AUTOGRAPHS.** Stephens (Alexander H.—Vice President of the Confederacy). A. N. s., 1 p., 12mo. Crawfordsville, 25 Aug., 1870.

- 62 **AUTOGRAPHS.** Stewart (Charles). Commodore, U. S. Navy: Distinguished in War 1812, etc. A. L. s., 2 pp., 4to, Norfolk, May 14, 1849. To W. D. Lewis.

- 63 **AUTOGRAPHS.** Stewart (Charles, Commodore, U. S. N.). MS. Statement of joint operations in Delaware and Hudson and Morris Canal Co. stock, W. D. Lewis and Com. Stewart. Signed by the Commodore on receipt of his share of the profits, \$2968.83. 3 pp., oblong 4to, 1935-36.

- 64 **AUTOGRAPHS.** Webster (Daniel). A. L. (3rd person), Apr. 30, 1850. To Anne C. Lynch, the American poetess, very gallantly acknowledging the receipt of "*a beautiful bouquet of flowers*".

"At an earlier period of life, the gift by a lady of so many flowers from the garden, might have excited Mr. Webster's ambition to attempt a return either in flowers of poetry, or at least in those of Rhetoric", etc.

- 65 **AUTOGRAPHS.** Webster (Daniel). A. N. s., 1 p., 4to, Boston, Sept. 17, 1836. With frank and address.

- 66 **BAPTIST CONFESSION OF FAITH, PRINTED BY ANTHONY ARMBRUSTER, 1765.** The Baptist Confession of Faith: First put forth in 1643; afterwards enlarged, corrected and published by an assembly of delegates (from the churches in Great Britain) met in London, July 3, 1689; adopted by the association at Philadelphia September 22, 1742; and now received by churches of the same denomination in most of the American Colonies. To which is added, A short treatise of discipline. 16mo,

old half sheep and limp boards (covers a little frayed and very small hole in title) pp. 108, (1).

Philadelphia: Printed by Ant. Armbruster in Race-street, 1765

EXTREMELY RARE. Unknown to Hildeburn and differing in almost every word from the title as quoted by Evans. Probably the ONLY COPY KNOWN OF THIS ISSUE.

Armbruster, who was at one time in partnership with BENJAMIN FRANKLIN, indeed, to within a short time of the date of this book, was a very queer and diverting character.

- 67 **BARBARITIES OF THE SLAVE TRADE.** An Abstract of the Evidence before the House of Commons, 1790-91, on the part of the Petitioners for the Abolition of the Slave-Trade. *Folded plan.* Small 8vo, wrapper, uncut (stains on upper corners).

London, 1791

With a large plan, showing how the slaves were chained and herded together in the ships on their way to America.

- 68 **BARLOW'S (JOEL) TRANSLATION OF THE PSALMS.** A Translation of Sundry Psalms which were omitted in Dr. Watts's Version; to which is added a Number of Hymns. 12mo, sewn (margins unevenly trimmed), pp. 14.

Hartford: Printed by Barlow and Babcock, 1785

VERY RARE.

- 69 **BARLOW (JOEL).** The Vision of Columbus; A Poem in Nine Books. 12mo, original sheep.

Hartford: Hudson and Goodwin, 1787

GENUINE FIRST EDITION, with the 6 leaves at end of Subscribers' Names, including KING LOUIS XVI of France, GENERALS WASHINGTON AND LAFAYETTE, BENJ. FRANKLIN and others. WITH AUTOGRAPH OF LEMUEL HOPKINS, THE REVOLUTIONARY POET and literary associate of JOEL BARLOW, Humphreys, Trumbull and others, a coterie known as the "Hartford wits".

- 70 **BARTLETT (WASHINGTON A.).** The "Navy Board" of 1855 in review before the Naval Court of Inquiry sitting at Washington, 1857. 12mo, sewn, pp. 76. New York, [1857]

A famous California case. Lieut. Bartlett was Civil Magistrate of San Francisco during the Naval Occupancy of California in 1846 and 1847. He was accused of selling Naval stores to the citizens. This is his defence.

- 71 **BERLANDIER (LOUIS).** Diario de Viage de la Comision de Limites que puso el Gobierno de la Republica, bajo la direccion del de Division D. Manuel de Mier y Teran. *Portrait.* 8vo, half calf. Mexico, 1850

A rare daily journal of the explorations through Texas, New Mexico, and Arizona during 1827-1831 by the Mexican Boundary Commission. Blind stamp and autograph of John R. Bartlett on title. Mr. Bartlett evidently used this copy, which was presented to him in 1852, while working on the American Boundary Commission.

72 BIBLIOGRAPHY. Report of the Joint Committee appointed to take into consideration the arrangement of Books and Maps belonging to Congress. 8vo, sewn. [Washington, 1802]

ESTABLISHMENT OF THE LIBRARY OF CONGRESS, with rules for its government. Original Edition, not listed in Poore.

73 BIBLIOGRAPHY. Roden (R. F.). The Cambridge Press, 1638-1692. A History of the First Printing Press established in English America, with a Bibliographical List of the Issues of the Press. *Facsimile titles, etc.* Square 8vo, boards, uncut and unopened. New York, 1905

JAPAN PAPER COPY. Only 50 copies so printed.

74 BLAKE (WM. P.). Silver Mining and Milling at Butte, Montana. A paper presented (subject to revision) at Butte, Montana, July 12th, 1887. 8vo, wrappers, pp. 14.
[Walkerville, Montana] : Privately Printed for the Author, [1887]

75 BORDER ROMANCES. Halyard (Harry). The Heroine of Tampico; or, Wildfire the Wanderer. A tale of the Mexican War. *Illustrated.* 8vo, wrappers (name on title). Boston, 1852

76 BORDER ROMANCES. Robinson (Dr. J. H.). The Maid of the Ranche; or, The Regulators and Moderators. A Story of Life on the Texas Border. 8vo, sewn. New York, [1853]

77 BORDER ROMANCES. Bickley (George W. L.). Adalaska, or the Strange and Mysterious Cave of Genreva (on the western borders of Virginia). *Full-page illustrations.* 8vo, wrappers (name on title and foxed). Cincinnati, 1854

With historical notes. Not noted in any check-list of American fiction.

78 BORDER ROMANCES. Robinson (Dr. J. H.). Whitelaw; or, Nattie of the Lake Shore. A Tale of the Ten Mile Trace (of Michigan.) 8vo, half polished morocco (name on title). New York, 1861

79 BRANT TRIAL. Proceedings of a Court Martial convened for the trial of Lt. Col. Joshua B. Brant at St. Louis, June 15, 1839, upon charges of fraud, violation of official trust, etc. 8vo, sewn, pp. 136. St. Louis, 1850

The first army scandal in Missouri. This trial proved of great political importance, as, notwithstanding the court ordered Brant to be "cashiered," President Van Buren allowed him to resign from the army. Library stamp on back of title.

80 BROADSIDE. Facts for Reflecting Men of all Parties. (U. S. Bank, proposed Rail-Road to Louisville and Turnpike to Maysville, etc.) Folio, uncut. [Louisville, Ky.?], 1831

81 BROOKS (SARAH MERRIAM). Across the Isthmus to California in '52. *Presentation copy from the author.* 8vo, wrappers. San Francisco, 1894

82 BRUNSON (ALFRED). Prairie du Chien. Its Present Position and Future Prospects. 8vo, wrappers. Milwaukee: Daily Sentinel Steam Power Press, 1857
A rare little local history.

83 BURR CONSPIRACY. The Trial of Col. Aaron Burr, on an indictment for Treason, before the Circuit Court of the United States, held in Richmond, (Virginia), May Term, 1807: including the Arguments and Decisions, etc. Taken in Short-Hand by T. Carpenter. 3 vols., 8vo, old blue paper covers, **TOTALLY UNCUT** (small strip cut from foot of last leaf of appendix affecting one line of a footnote).

WASHINGTON CITY: Printed by B. Westcott & Co., 1807-8

AN UNCUT COPY OF THE ORIGINAL WASHINGTON EDITION, in Three Volumes, not to be confounded with the Philadelphia issue, reported by D. Robertson (1808), which is not so rare or desirable. THIS COPY CONTAINS THE FOUR-PAGE INDEX, which is not called for in Sabin's collation, and which was not mentioned as being present in the De Puy copy. It contains a supplementary leaf (publishers' notice) in Volume I, also unknown to Sabin; besides having 418 pages before the Appendix in Vol. III, which Sabin puts at 416. The book proved much more bulky than the publishers had anticipated, causing them to alter their plans considerably while the work was in press, adding supplemental leaves, an appendix, etc. It is probable that the Index, coming at the end of an unprofitable venture, was issued to but few subscribers. Rare in totally uncut state, as here offered.

84 BURR CONSPIRACY. In Senate of the U. S. Jan. 13, 1808. [Deposition of Senator John Smith, of Ohio, seeking to disprove the testimony against him at the Burr trial in Richmond; and a further report of the Senate Committee on the same subject.] 8vo, sewn (ink numbers in margin), pp. 7. [Washington, 1808]

85 BURR CONSPIRACY. Safford (W. H.). The Life of Harman Blennerhassett, comprising An Authentic Narrative of THE BURR EXPEDITION: and containing Many Additional Facts not heretofore published. *Frontispiece.* 12mo, original cloth.

Chillicothe, O.: Ely, Allen and Looker, 1850

ORIGINAL EDITION. AN EXCEEDINGLY CLEAN, FRESH AND CRISP COPY, in the original cloth.

BURR CONSPIRACY. See also under AMERICAN LAW JOURNAL.

86 CALIFORNIA. Green (Jonathan S.). North-West Coast. Extracts from the Report of an Exploring Tour on the North West Coast of North America, in 1829; (with portions of his Journal relating to his visits to Alaska, British Columbia, California, etc.

In *The Missionary Herald*, Vols. 26-27, with titles and Indexes).
2 vols., 8vo, half roan (few pp. time-discolored).

Boston, 1830-31

Mr. Green was sent out by the Am. Board of Foreign Missions to collect information regarding the establishment of a Mission on the Northwest Coast, and in his report, he suggests the most favorable site for the new mission "and colony" to be "somewhere in the vicinity of the Columbia River", thus paving the way for the subsequent advent of the Rev. MARCUS WHITMAN and his band, who played such an important part in Western history. The author visited several places along the Alaskan and British Columbian coast and terminated his tour at SAN FRANCISCO. He devotes a considerable part of his Journal to the information he acquired regarding CALIFORNIA, its resources, population, manners, customs, etc. And in summing up, he says:—"Should the division be made so far south as to include within the limits of the United States, the bay of St. Francisco, as it is rumored, I should regard this as a post of great importance".

- 87 **CALIFORNIA.** [Garner (William?).] Letters from California, (1846); Climate, Soil, Productions, Commerce, Resources, Statistics, Etc. [Supplement to the North American]. Printed on a single sheet, large folio, pp. 2 (small holes at folds slightly affecting text). Philadelphia, April 26, 1847

An early and minute description of California and its inhabitants by one "W. G.", who emigrated to the Pacific coast from the United States in 1824, with an account of the MILITARY OPERATIONS OF COL. FREMONT, COM. STOCKTON and others, and a very interesting reference to THE DISCOVERY OF GOLD on his own farm in THE EARLY FORTIES. The text appears on both sides of a large folio sheet, and if in book-form, would fill a fair sized pamphlet. Only one other copy has been offered. Unknown to Cowan. Rare.

- 88 **CALIFORNIA.** Nomination of General Kearny. Substance of the Speech of Mr. (T. H.) Benton, In the Senate—(Secret) Executive Session, July, 1848. (Appendix to the Congressional Globe, New Series, Nos. 62-65), 4to, sewn. [Washington, 1848]

A voluminous historical review (63 pages, 4to) of the Military and Naval Operations in the Conquest of California, including valuable documents secured privately, testimony excluded from the record in the Fremont Court Martial, etc., etc.

- 89 **CALIFORNIA.** A Sketch of the Life of Com. R. F. Stockton, with his Correspondence respecting his Conquest of California, etc. *Portrait*. 8vo, cloth (back a little rubbed at top). New York, 1856

AUTOGRAPH LETTER OF COM. STOCKTON inserted.

- 90 **CALIFORNIA.** Nordhoff (Charles). California: . . . A Book for Travellers and Settlers. *Map and illustrations*. Square 8vo, cloth. New York, 1873

PRESENTATION COPY TO BEN HOLLIDAY, the early Western pioneer and 'Pony Express' man, from THE AUTHOR, with inscription in his hand. EARLIEST ISSUE of the FIRST EDITION, in light salmon-colored cloth.

- 91 CALIFORNIA.** Swift (J. F.). Robert Greathouse. A Story of the Nevada Silver Mines. 12mo, original cloth. *Fine, clean copy.* New York, 1878

"The majority of the characters were among the most prominent of San Francisco society"—Cowan. Second edition, revised "to render it more valuable as a picture of life and manners in California and Nevada". PRESENTATION COPY FROM THE AUTHOR'S WIFE, with inscription dated San Francisco, 1894.

- 92 CALIFORNIA.** [Ide (Simeon).] A Biographical Sketch of the Life of William B. Ide: with a minute and interesting Account of one of the Largest Emigrating Companies, (3000 miles overland), from the East to the Pacific coast. And what is claimed as the most authentic and reliable account of "The Virtual Conquest of California, in June, 1846, by the Bear Flag Party", as given by its leader, the late William Brown Ide. 16mo, original brown cloth, pp. 239, (1). [Claremont, N. H., 1880]

ONLY A FEW COPIES PRINTED. AUTOGRAPH PRESENTATION COPY, "*with the Respects of the Publisher*", (who was also THE AUTHOR; with light impression of the recipient's stamp on title, which could be easily removed, if desired). The book was set up and printed by the author himself in his 86th year, "as a memorial offering to the memory of a beloved father". Embodied in the above, is WILLIAM B. IDE'S OWN NARRATIVE OF THE BEAR FLAG MOVEMENT AT SONOMA, about which there was so much controversy.

Owing to its historic importance, the small number of copies printed and the peculiarly interesting circumstances of its production, it will always be sought as one of the most attractive morsels of Californiana. Presentation copies are particularly scarce. CLEAN, CRISP COPY.

- 93 CALIFORNIA.** Engelhardt (Fr. Z., O. S. F.). The Franciscans in California. *Map and illustrations.* 8vo, cloth. Harbor Springs, Mich.: Printed at the Holy Childhood Indian School, 1897

"The Most Complete Work on the Colonization and Evangelization of California."—Cowan. The book was printed by the young Indian boys attending Father Engelhardt's Mission School and four years were consumed in its compilation.

- 94 CALIFORNIA BROADSIDE.** The Late Hon. David C. Broderick, United States Senator from California. Text in three columns and *portrait*. Small 4to. [San Francisco, 1859]

An excessively rare broadside, of which apparently no record appears. The author gives a contemporary account of the Terry-Broderick duel, the particulars of Broderick's last days, and the effect of his death.

[SEE ILLUSTRATION]

- 95 CALIFORNIA CLAIMS.** Report of the Military Affairs Committee on the Senate Bill . . . for ascertaining and paying the California Claims. 8vo, sewn, pp. 39. [Washington, 1848]



THE LATE HON. DAVID C. BRODERICK, UNITED STATES SENATOR FROM CALIFORNIA.

On Friday, Sept. 18th, '59, at half-past 9 A. M., Senator David C. Broderick, a Senator of the United States from our State, died from the effects of a wound received in a duel, fought on Tuesday morning last, with David S. Terry, formerly Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of California. With the manner of his wounding we have nothing to do; the daily press, in their partisan opinions, have given many different statements in regard to it, and to them we refer for the particulars of the duel; our task is merely to speak of a fallen hero, a good man gone to his death. For days previous to his dissolution, the gloomy countenances of the whole people told how great was the feeling for the wounded man, and the groups of sad faces at all points in the city, showed the intense anxiety for his welfare. All hopes, however, proved fallacious, and while the bright sun was shining over our beautiful country, while everything in nature was arrayed in loveliness, and while a multitude of eager friends were awaiting the results of the efforts of his physicians, the spirit of the great man, the self-made leader of senators, the warm friend, the truthful and magnanimous antagonist, passed

from the body and took its silent flight to the great unknown world of space. Not only does a State mourn for its champion and defender, not only does the population of the Pacific slope wail for the loss of its favorite, but a whole confederacy—a whole people, are full of sorrow and regret for his death. As was said of another, "The heart of a nation is throbbing heavily at the portals of his tomb."

For years, Mr. Broderick has battled for principles which he considered right, and of late he has exerted all his strength of mind and body for the advancement of those principles. Just having ended a political campaign with credit to himself, and full of high aspirations for the future, he has been cut down in the prime of his life, and all his hopes and fears are now at one.

Cold in death, the body, which formerly contained a mind such as only a God could create, lies calmly awaiting whatever disposition is chosen for it. There will be parade and pomp and a gathering of multitudes, but will these indemnify us for the loss we have sustained? Will the funeral ceremonies do ought towards healing the terrible wound in the body politic?

No! for such a man can never have his place filled, he will always be missed. When occasions of this kind are forced upon us, we feel too deeply the great effect, and years will pass before the sacrifice will be forgotten. Time cannot entirely obliterate it and the memory, the people clinging tenaciously to the circumstances. For our State, we are sorry. The shock sustained in consequence of this last terrible act will have a tendency to injure it deeply. We have, from the first days of California, been more or less stained with the blood of our people, and the efforts of the cooler portion of our community have been unsuccessful as to the prevention of these foul blots. One after another of the damning consequences arrive, and California is forced to recede instead of advancing in the paths of civilization. When will we cease to be so terribly scourged and take our place among the enlightened of the age? If not soon, we will cease to exist as a people, for strife and bloodshed will annihilate us. Let us hope that a better spirit will hereafter prevail, and let us also hope that the successor of Mr. Broderick will be as honest and upright in the discharge of his duty.

VERY RARE BROADSIDE ACCOUNT OF
THE TERRY-BRODERICK DUEL, SAN FRANCISCO, 1859

[NUMBER 94]

96 CALIFORNIA LAND GRANTS. The Grants, Rights and Privileges of the Central Pacific Railroad Co. of California under National, State and Local Legislation, and the Mortgages executed by the Company to secure their First Mortgage Bonds. 8vo, original wrappers. New York, 1868

Of the utmost historical importance. No record of this item can be found in the various Western bibliographies.

97 CALIFORNIA VIEWS. California Scenery (View of the old CLIFF HOUSE, SAN FRANCISCO). COLORED LITHOGRAPH, by Haskell and Allen, Boston, n. d. 8 x 12 $\frac{3}{4}$ inches.

FINE COPY OF A VERY SCARCE PRINT.

98 CALIFORNIA AND NEVADA. Map of the States of California and Nevada, from the latest authentic sources. By Chas. Drayton Gibbes. Comprising information obtained from . . . the Surveys of J. D. Whitney, the Explorations of Col. R. S. Williamson, U. S. A., etc., etc. *Colored.* 34 x 40. Folded into 12mo cloth case. San Francisco: Warren Holt, 1873

99 CALIFORNIA AND OREGON STEAMSHIPS. United States Mail Steamships; Facts Submitted to Congress. N. Y., 1850:—A Sketch of the Life of George Law (who financed the U. S. Mail Steamship Co.) N. Y., 1855:—Pacific Mail Steamship Co. Bill of Complaint in suit against the Atlantic Mail Steamship Co. N. Y., 1867. 3 pieces. 8vo, original wrappers.

New York, 1850-67

Earliest records of the first line of steamers running to Oregon. Mr. Sloo was the original contractor to build the *Ohio* and the *Georgia*. These ships were the first to convey the officers of Government to California and Oregon. He was later assisted by George Law. Interesting and unusual lot.

100 [CALLENDER (J. T.).] The American Annual Register, or, Historical Memoirs of the U. S. for 1796. 8vo, boards, uncut (some pp. stained and carelessly opened). Philadelphia, 1797

All published. Interesting political sketches and gossip about the great men of the time—Washington, Hamilton, Jefferson, etc.

101 CAMBRELENG (CHURCHILL C.). A Series of 10 AUTOGRAPH LETTERS, signed, one and two pages each, Newark, Washington and New York, 1820-1831. To W. D. Lewis, in reference to the consular corruption case, Harris vs. Lewis.

Cambreling was AN EARLY ASSOCIATE OF JOHN JACOB ASTOR, in his WESTERN ENTERPRISES. “When you write his Majesty, recollect his address is simply JAMES MONROE, PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES. He does not like the title of Excellency, which all the foreign Ministers have”, etc.

COMUNICACIONES,

ENTRE EL SEÑOR CARLOS BIDDLE.

CORONEL DE LOS E. UNIDOS DEL NORTE

I LA SOCIEDAD

AMIGOS DEL PAÍS.

This pamphlet published by the Society of the
Country was forwarded by them to me at
Pogata, & received April 6. 1836.

Charles Biddle

PANAMA FOR JAMES BOISQUET AND 1836.

THE FIRST OF A SERIES OF RARE PAMPHLETS RELATING TO THE PROPOSED
RAILROAD AND WATERWAY ACROSS THE Isthmus OF PANAMA, 1836

[NUMBER 105]

102 **CAMPBELLITES.** Campbell (Alexander). A Connected View of the Principles and Rules by which the Living Oracles may be intelligibly and certainly Interpreted, etc. 12mo, sheep.

Bethany, Va., 1835

103 **CANADA.** Williams (Mrs. C. R.). The Neutral French; or, The Exiles of Nova Scotia. 2 vols. in one, 12mo, cloth (some pp. slightly discolored). Providence, [1841]

The story of the exiled Acadians, with historical appendix of original documents, etc.

104 **CANADA.** Houston (William). Documents illustrative of the Canadian Constitution. With Notes and Appendixes. 8vo, cloth. Toronto, 1891

THE EARLIEST ATTEMPT BY UNITED STATES INTERESTS TO EFFECT INTER-OCEANIC COMMUNICATION ACROSS THE Isthmus OF PANAMA.

A COLLECTION OF RARE PAMPHLETS
GATHERED BY COL. CHARLES BIDDLE,
DIPLOMATIC AGENT OF THE UNITED
STATES, WHILE IN PANAMA,
BY ORDER OF PRESIDENT
ANDREW JACKSON,
INVESTIGATING THE PROPOSED
ENTERPRISE IN 1836

105 **CANALS.** Communicationes, entre el Señor Carlos Biddle Coronel de los E. Unidos del Norte i La Sociedad Amigos del País. FOLDED PROFILE MAP. Small 4to, sewn, pp. 20.

PANAMA: Por Jayme Bousquet, año 1836

PRESENTATION COPY TO COL. BIDDLE, with autograph note in his handwriting on title-page:—"This pamphlet published by the Society of FRIENDS OF THE COUNTRY was forwarded by them to me at Bogota, and received April 6, 1836. Charles Biddle".

Col. Biddle was sent to Panama, in 1835, by President Jackson "as a special agent of the United States, for the purpose of making observations and inquiries, and collecting documents relative to the establishment of a communication between THE ATLANTIC AND PACIFIC OCEANS, by means of a CANAL OR RAILROAD across the Isthmus of Panama".

In a letter to the Secretary of State, Col. Biddle refers to the above pamphlet as follows:—"The Society of Friends of the country (which includes among its members the most talented, wealthy and influential men of the isthmus) commenced a correspondence with me, which they subsequently published in pamphlet form. The result of that correspondence was a determination, on the part of the members of (the New Grenadian) Congress, to accompany me to Bogota, where we arrived on the 13th of March, after a most tedious and fatiguing journey of fifty four days. . . And after a debate which occupied 38 days, the decree passed both Houses" (granting him the exclusive privilege of constructing a Canal or Railroad across the isthmus.) This was THE FIRST MOVE ON THE PART OF THE UNITED STATES TOWARDS ESTABLISHING INTEROCEANIC COMMUNICATION ACROSS THE Isthmus OF PANAMA. Col. Biddle secured the concession in his own name with the intention of

forming a company in the United States to forward the enterprise, reserving two thirds of the stock for himself and his American associates. While still in correspondence with the Secretary of State, Col. Biddle died Dec. 21, 1836.

The above and the nine pamphlets which follow, all bearing upon the business in hand, were gathered by Col. Biddle while in Panama in discharge of his diplomatic mission. They are all of great rarity and possess for Americans an unique interest, now that the long projected canal has become an accomplished fact and the country through which it passes forms part of the domain of the United States.

THE FOLDED PROFILE PLAN, which is present in the first named pamphlet, showing the most approved course for a canal, comparative altitudes, etc., with a marginal key, was founded on information secured during Gen'l. Bolivar's administration of affairs in the country.

[SEE ILLUSTRATION]

- 106 —— Privilegio para una comunicacion de TRANSPORTE DEL ATLANTICO I DEL PACIFICO. El Estado de la Nueva Grenada se compone de todos los granadinos, reunidos bajo de un mismo pacto de asociacion politica para su comun utilidad. Art. Iº de la constitucion. (Signed at end, "V. A" [swayras]). Small 4to, sewn, pp. 8. [Bogota:] Imprenta de N. Lora—Año de 1836

- 107 —— Representacion dirigida al Congreso de La Nueva Grenada por los Apoderados de los Acreedores Etranjeros de la Antigua Republica de Colombia. 8vo, sewn, pp. 12.

[Bogota:] Bmp. de M. Lora, 1835

- 108 —— Representacion al Congreso. Los apoderados de los contralistas de los emprestitos de 1822 i 1824, participan al congreso las indicaciones hechas por la comision de los tenedores de vales colombianos en Londres, respecto a la liquidacion de los intereses devengados i su pago en lo sucesivo, i piden que se acuerde un acto legislativo, acordando la admision de dichos vales en pago de tierras valdias. 8vo, sewn, pp. (4).

[Bogota]: Bmp. de N. Lora, 1835

- 109 —— Representacion dirigida al Congreso de La Nueva Grenada por los Apoderados de los Acreedores Etranjeros de la Antigua Republica de Colombia. (Signed at end, Powles, Illingworth i Compania.) 8vo, sewn, pp. 11.

[Bogota]: Imprenta de N. Lora, [1836]

WITH AUTOGRAPH NOTE ON COVER IN COL. BIDDLE'S HAND:—"Sent to me by Mr. Illingworth, April 25, 1836. C. Biddle. Bogota."

- 110 —— Informe que El Gobernador de Valez presenta a La Camara de Provincia en su Sesion Ordinaria del Año de 1834. 6 folding tables. Small folio, sewn, pp. 8.

Bogota: Imp. por Jose Ayarza, [1834]

INSCRIBED BY COL. BIDDLE ON TITLE-PAGE:—"Rec'd from Col. Acosta, April, 1836. C. Biddle. Bogota."

- 111 — Consideraciones Sobre el ramo del Tabaco, con motivo de un proyecto de Lei introducido en la Camara de Representantes, i de las objeciones hechas contra el. 8vo, sewn, pp. 32.
Bogota: Imprenta de Nicomedes Lora—Año de 1836
- 112 — De la Deuda Etranjera. 8vo, sewn, pp. 8.
Bogota: Imprenta de N. Lora, 1835
- 113 — De La Deuda Etranjera. 2a Parte. (Signed at end, Guillermo Wills). 8vo, sewn, pp. 9-19.
Bogota: Imprenta de N. Lora, 1835
- 114 — Esposicion de las Rabones en que Veintinueve Representantes de la Nueva Grenada, se fundaron el dia 22 de Marzo de 1836 para declarar No Constitucional la conducta del poder ejecutivo en la Negociacion del convenio con Venezuela, sobre repartimiento de los Creditos Colombianos. 8vo, sewn, pp. 30.
Bogota: Nicomedes Lora—Año de 1836
- PRESENTATION COPY FROM THE EMINENT SOLDIER AND STATESMAN, T. C. MOSQUERA, with inscription in his hand: also inscribed by Col. Biddle:—"Sent to me by General Mosquera, April 16, 1836. C. Biddle, Bogota."
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- 115 **CANALS.** Map illustrative of a communication between the Great Lakes and Atlantic Ocean by means of a CANAL FROM LAKE ERIE TO HUDSON RIVER. By John Eddy, 1816. 12 $\frac{3}{4}$ x 14 $\frac{1}{2}$. N. p., 1816
A separately printed map IN COLORS, showing also THE WESTERN TERRITORIES to be benefited by the proposed Canal. Fine, uncut copy.
- 116 **CANALS.** Eleventh General Report of the President and Directors of the Chesapeake and Delaware Canal Company. *Folded map.* 8vo, sewn. N. p., 1830
- 117 **CAREY'S AMERICAN POCKET ATLAS**, containing Nineteen Maps; with a Description of Each State. Second Edition, greatly Improved and Enlarged. 19 Maps. 8vo, sheep (joints split). Philadelphia: Matthew Carey, 1801
- 118 **CAREY (MATTHEW).** The New Olive Branch: or, An Attempt to Establish an Identity of Interest between Agriculture, Manufacturers, and Commerce. 8vo, new cloth, uncut. Philadelphia, 1820
Presentation copy from the Author, with inscription.
- 119 **CASE OF THE AMERICAN SHIP "NEW JERSEY".** Memorial of the Owners and Underwriters of the American Ship, The New Jersey; respectfully addressed to the Senate and House

of Representatives of the U. S., accompanied by Documents. 8vo, wrapper, pp. 66. Philadelphia: For the Concerned, 1806

The *New Jersey* was captured on her homeward voyage from Canton, China, by the French privateer, *Le Labourdin*, during the French-American War of 1797. Her cargo was valued at \$173,073.

- 120 CAUTIONARY HINTS TO CONGRESS, respecting the Sale of the WESTERN LANDS. [“Printed for the information of the members (of Congress) in Jan'y, 1795, under my (the author's) direction”]. Signed, “Columbus”. 8vo, sewn, pp. 15 (lower part of title clipped, though apparently no words missing).

United States, January 30, 1795

A VERY RARE AND IMPORTANT PAMPHLET. One of the earliest of the controversial tracts on the disposal of THE WESTERN LANDS. ORIGINAL EDITION, AND THE AUTHOR'S OWN COPY, from which he appears to have prepared a second edition. This First Issue unknown to Sabin and other bibliographers, and no other copy traced.

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- 121 CHICAGO RAILROADS. History and Commerce of Chicago Rail-Roads. Three articles published in the Daily Democratic Press. 8vo, pictorial wrappers, pp. 72. Chicago, 1854

- 122 CHICAGO SHIP-CANAL CONVENTION OF 1863. Proceedings of the National Ship-Canal Convention held at the City of Chicago, June 2 and 3, 1863. 8vo, original printed wrappers. Chicago, 1863

A convention that had an immense influence on the development of the resources of the West.

- 123 CHILDREN'S BOOKS. The Child's First Book; or NEW PHILADELPHIA PRIMER. *Illustrations*. 16mo, sheep.

Philadelphia: Printed by J. Rakestraw, 1808

With two other contemporary juvenile publications by I. Comly bound in.

- 124 CHILDREN'S BOOKS. The Juvenile Primer, or Child's A. B. C. *Illustrations, including one of a STEAMBOAT*. 32mo, original printed wrappers. Baltimore: F. Lucas, jun., [ca. 1812]

- 125 CHILDREN'S BOOKS. Memoirs of Dick, the Little Pony, supposed to be written by himself, for the Instruction and Amusement of Good Boys and Girls. *Illustrations*. 18mo, half cloth and boards (some pp. discolored).

Philadelphia: B. Johnson, 1813

- 126 CHILDREN'S BOOKS. Cock Robin. *Colored illustrations*. 24mo, original wrappers. Philadelphia: Fisher, [ca. 1830]

No. 5.

CAUTIONARY HINTS

TO

C O N G R E S S,

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OF THE

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and to my direction —*

A VERY RARE WESTERN LAND SALES PAMPHLET
ORIGINAL EDITION. APPARENTLY HITHERTO UNKNOWN

[NUMBER 120]

- 127 **CIVIL WAR.** Bishop (Capt. J. S.). A Concise History of the War, to accompany Perrine's New War Map of the Southern States. *Folding map, 30 x 40 inches.* 18mo, original boards.
Indianapolis: C. O. Perrine, [1864]
Fine Copy. VERY SCARCE.
- 128 **CIVIL WAR NARRATIVES.** Leib (Chas.). Nine Months in the Quartermaster's Department; or, The Chance for Making a Million. *Illustrations.* 12mo, original printed wrapper, pp. 200.
Cincinnati, 1862
- 129 **CIVIL WAR NARRATIVES.** Ohio Boys in Dixie: The Adventures of Twenty-Two Scouts sent by Gen. Mitchell to Destroy a Railroad; with a Narrative of their barbarous treatment by the Rebels, etc. 8vo, sewn.
New York, 1863
- 130 **CIVIL WAR NARRATIVES.** Miriam Rivers, The Lady Soldier; or, General Grant's Spy. By M. C. P. *Illustrations.* 8vo, original printed wrappers (blank margins of some leaves very slightly defective). Philadelphia: Barclay & Co., 1865
- 131 **CIVIL WAR NARRATIVES.** Joyce (Col. J. A.). Jewels of Memory; (with Poetic Pebbles). *Portrait.* 12mo, cloth.
Washington, 1895
PRESENTATION COPY FROM THE AUTHOR, with full-page signed inscription.
- 132 **COLONIAL MANUSCRIPT, 1704-1707.** Two Representations of the Board of Trade to the House of Lords, dated Nov. 30, 1704 and Nov. 27, 1707. A beautifully written MANUSCRIPT of 198 pages, from the library of the EARL OF LOUDOUN, with his bookplate. Folio, calf.
1704-1707
Accounts of the late EARL OF BELLOMONT and CAPT. NEWSON with regard to the four companies that her Majesty maintains in that Province (NEW YORK); Proclamation by the Queen for settling and ascertaining the Rates of Foreign Coins in her Majesty's Colonys and Plantations in America; Draught of a letter from her Majesty to Colonel Dudley, her Majesty's Governor of the Massachusetts Bay, relating to the rebuilding of Pamaquid Fort and contributing towards the Fort at Piscataqua, as also to the settling of a salary upon her Majesty's Governor and Lieut. Governor of that Province for the time being; Proposal for destroying Quebec; Report from Lord Cornbury of the Province of New York (Condition in the colony and the trouble caused by French Privateers); THE TOBACCO TRADE OF VIRGINIA and conditions in that colony.
- 133 **COLONIAL MERCHANTS' LETTER BOOKS.** Manuscript Letter Books of Messrs. Dutilh and Wachsmouth, Merchants of Philadelphia, containing copies of letters, Jan. 5, 1784 to Aug. 10, 1785, and Sept. 30, 1788 to July 31, 1789, to various houses in Europe, America and the West Indies. Written in French and English (principally the former), and covering 1084 pages of

manuscript, with Indexes of correspondents' names. 2 thick folio volumes, bound in old vellum and calf. 1784-'89

A vast amount of commercial history is to be found in these volumes. The firm was one of the wealthiest and most prominent in Philadelphia at the time.

- 134 **COLORADO.** Colorado: Its Resources and Attractions. *Illustrations.* N. p., Kas. Pacific R. R., 1873

With historical sketch of the city of Denver.

- 135 **COLORADO.** Hill (A. P.). Tales of the Colorado Pioneers. 12mo, cloth. Denver, 1884

- 136 **COLUMBIAN MAGAZINE (THE).** Vol. 1, Nos. 1 and 2, for September and October, 1786. *Engraved title; RARE PORTRAIT OF GEN'L NATHANAEL GREEN; Arms and Great Seal of the U. S.; Farm Scene,—5 plates—all by J. Trenchard.* 2 nos., 8vo, sewn, pp. (2), 98, (2), (4),—(lacking front., 2 printed titles and 2 Tables: the set is for the most part crisp and clean, but some nos. are a little time-discolored here and there.).

Philadelphia: T. Seddon, etc., 1786

The earliest attempt in America to bring an illustrated magazine up to the standards of the English periodicals of the time. A large amount of very interesting and important matter, both in prose and verse, will be found in the succeeding numbers, much of it relating to Natural History, Science, Agriculture, Medicine, etc., as well as to Literature, History, Politics and the Fine Arts. The early date of these articles, which are very largely original, renders them of more than ordinary interest. In the various numbers, also, under *Domestic Intelligence*, appear the latest news items of the day, from all over the country, including the sparsely settled parts of THE WEST AND SOUTH, which gives it somewhat the character of a newspaper, with *Prices Current, Marriages and Deaths*, etc. The plates are mostly by Trenchard, Vallance and others. Absolutely complete sets are practically unheard of.

- 137 —— The same. Vol. 1, Nos. 3 and 4. *View of JOHN FITCH'S STEAM BOAT; Eclipse of the Moon; Plan of a Granary; Bones (imperfect); 2 Tables.* 2 nos., 8vo, sewn, pp. (101)-204. Philadelphia, Nov.-Dec., 1786

DESCRIPTION BY JOHN FITCH OF HIS NEWLY INVENTED STEAM-BOAT, with an engraving illustrating it, etc.

- 138 —— The same. Vol. 1, Nos. 5 and 6. *PORTRAIT OF GEN. WASHINGTON, by Trenchard; Bridge over the Schuylkill; Birds; 2 Tables.* 2 nos., 8vo, sewn, pp. iv, (205)-252; iv, (253)-300 (lacking one plate and leaf 271-72). Philadelphia, Jan.-Feb., 1787

THE PORTRAIT OF GEN. WASHINGTON (H. No. 839), is a sharp, crisp and genuine impression of this rare print. The text includes a refutation of the British charges of inhumanity against Washington and a further description of JOHN FITCH'S STEAM-BOAT.

- 139 —— The same. Vol. 1, Nos. 7 and 8. *View of the Great Spring, Saratoga; New Solar Dial; 2 Tables.* 2 nos., 8vo, sewn, pp. (2), (301)-350; (2), (351)-400 (lacking one plate).

Philadelphia, March-April, 1787

NARRATIVE OF A JOURNEY TO THE MISSISSIPPI COUNTRY and "upwards of 700 miles up the Red River", by Capt. Isaac Stuart, of the provincial Cavalry of South Carolina, etc., etc. The number containing the *Narrative* is perfect.

- 140 —— The same. Vol. 1, Nos. 9 and 10. *Ancient Indian Mounds in Ohio; Arms of Pennsylvania and N. J.; (Antique) Candle Case (invented by Francis Hopkinson); Machine; 2 Tables.* 2 nos., 8vo, sewn, pp. (2), (401)-450; (4), (451)-510.

Philadelphia, May-June, 1787

"Maritime Observations", by Benj. Franklin; "The Foresters", an original tale, by J. Belknap, being a skit on the formation of THE U. S. CONSTITUTION (Continued); *Ancient Indian Mounds in Ohio*, etc.

- 141 —— The same. Vol. 1, Nos. 12 and 13. *Large folding view of Gray's Ferry, Philadelphia; The Natural Bridge, Virginia; Plotting Machine; 2 Tables.* 2 nos., 8vo, sewn, pp. (563)-674 (blank margin in one plate frayed and with slight tears, though complete).

Philadelphia, Aug.-Sept., 1787

CONSTITUTION OF THE UNITED STATES. The September number contains, "The Plan for a Federal Government, proposed by the Convention" (at Philadelphia, Sept. 17, 1787). A VERY EARLY PRINTING OF THE SAME. The view of Gray's Ferry, being a large folding plate, is generally torn in half or missing, and is VERY RARE.

- 142 —— The same. Vol. 1, Nos. 14 and 15. *Arms of Mass. and N. Y.; Plate to "Amelia" (showing antique furniture); 2 Tables.* 2 nos., 8vo, sewn, pp. (675)-786 (lacking one plate).

Philadelphia, Oct.-Nov., 1787

Thomas Jefferson's Opinion on the Establishment of an AMERICAN NAVY; "Amelia", an original novel, (continued in succeeding numbers); Immigration to the U. S., etc.

- 143 —— The same. Vol. 1, No. 16 and Supplement to Vol. 1, with separate title-page. *Drilling Machine; Table.* 2 nos., 8vo, sewn, pp. (787)-838; (4), 839-884, (6); (lacking one plate).

Philadelphia, Dec., 1787

AN ORDINANCE FOR THE GOVERNMENT OF THE TERRITORY NORTHWEST OF THE RIVER OHIO; An Account of THE WEST INDIAN PIRATES, etc. The *Ordinance of 1787* appears in the Supplement, which is perfect throughout.

- 144 —— The same. Vol. 2, Nos. 1 and 2. *Frontispiece; engraved title; Map of Pennsylvania; The New Market, Phila.; Light House, Cape Henlopen; 2 Tables.* 2 nos., 8vo, sewn, pp. (1)-116.
Philadelphia, Jan.-Feb., 1788

With the rare folding MAP OF PENNSYLVANIA (11 x 21 in.), showing Roads, Paths, Stages, Mills, Forges, Wigwams, Meeting-Houses, Villages and Towns, Coal Lands, etc.; also, History of the First Settlement of Swedes in America, Customs and Traditions of the Indians, etc., etc.

- 145 —— The same. Vol. 2, Nos. 3 and 4. *Profile of Washington and Franklin; Fossils; Hollis Street Meeting House, Boston (imperfect); Implement for Assaying Ores; 2 Tables.* 2 nos., 8vo, sewn, pp. (119)-234.
Philadelphia, March-Apl., 1788

Plan for Establishing a Mint for the United States; AN ACCOUNT OF GEORGE WHITEFIELD'S ORPHAN HOUSE, IN GEORGIA; The Boston Fire of 1787, etc.

- 146 —— The same. Vol. 2, Nos. 5 and 6. *Pass over South Mountain from York Town to Carlisle; Rumsey's New Boiler; Ores; Newbold's Plantation on Indian River; Furnace for Smelting Lead; 2 Tables.* 2 nos., 8vo, sewn, pp. (235)-354.
Philadelphia, May-June, 1788

GEORGIA. AN ACCOUNT OF AN INSURRECTION AMONG THE INDIANS, to support the claim of AN INDIAN WOMAN, to THE TERRITORY OF THE GREEKS.

- 147 —— The same. Vol. 2, Nos. 7 and 8. *View of the Juniata River; Transit of Mercury; Fossils; 2 Tables.* 2 nos., 8vo, sewn, pp. (355)-474 (lacking one plate).
Philadelphia, July-Aug., 1788

"AN ACCOUNT OF NEW SMYRNA, IN FLORIDA, and a remarkable INSURRECTION IN THAT SETTLEMENT," (1769); The Grand Federal Procession, in honor of THE NEW CONSTITUTION, with Jas. Wilkinson's Oration on the occasion, etc. No. 7 contains an extra plate, which was apparently issued with but very few copies. The Florida matter appears in No. 8, which is perfect.

- 148 —— The same. Vol. 2, Nos. 9 and 10. *Method of Reaping; Winlaw Machine; 2 Tables.* 2 nos., 8vo, sewn, pp. (475)-614 (2 plates lacking and tear in one at bottom, though complete).
Philadelphia, Sept.-Oct., 1788

Observations and Travels of DE SOTO IN FLORIDA, intended to prove that the ancient fortifications in Ohio were not constructed by him (as suggested by BENJ. FRANKLIN); A Justification of Bundling, etc., etc.

- 149 —— The same. Vol. 2, No. 11. *Folding plan and view of Campus Martius; no Table.* 8vo, sewn, pp. (615)-666.
Philadelphia, Nov., 1788

Description of the old fort and Indian stockade, CAMPUS MARTIUS, at Marietta, in the Northwest Territory; Further Remarks on THE TRAVELS OF DE SOTO, IN FLORIDA, etc.

150 —— The same. Vol. 2, No. 12 and Supplement to Vol. 2, with separate title-page. *Ancient Buildings, Harvard College; Fort Roberdeau; Table.* 2 pcs., 8vo, sewn, pp. (667)-718; (2), iv, (719)-750, (4). Philadelphia, Dec., 1788

A Refutation of a LATE ACCOUNT OF NEW SMYRNA, IN FLORIDA, with intent to calumniate Dr. Turnbull's character; A Specific Cure for Cancer, etc., etc.

151 —— The same. Vol. 3, Nos. 1 and 2. *State House, at Annapolis; Hamilton's Seat "Bush-Hill", on the Schuylkill; Mud Inguana; Spinning Wheel; 3 Tables.* 2 nos., 8vo, sewn, pp. iv, (4), (2), (3)-74; (77)-139—collation correct.

Philadelphia, Jan.-Feb'y, 1789

CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF GEORGIA; Manners of the German Inhabitants of Pennsylvania, etc.

152 —— The same. Vol. 3, Nos. 3 and 4. *View in Canaan, Con.; Snow; Fossils; 6 Tables.* 2 nos., 8vo, sewn, pp. (141)-268. Philadelphia, Mch.-Apl., 1789

A History of the late War in America, (continued in succeeding numbers); Arrest of Col. Armstrong by the Spaniards on the Mississippi, etc.

153 —— The same. Vol. 3, No. 5. *Gray's Ferry on the Schuylkill; a View of the Triumphal Arch at Trenton; 2 Tables.* 8vo, sewn, pp. (4), (269)-324. Philadelphia, May, 1789

WITH A CIRCUMSTANTIAL ACCOUNT OF GENERAL WASHINGTON'S PROGRESS TO NEW YORK TO BE INAUGURATED FIRST PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES, WITH THE NOTABLE RECEPTIONS AT GRAY'S FERRY AND AT TRENTON: also the rare and interesting plates (2) showing THE GENERAL ON HORSEBACK APPROACHING THE TRIUMPHAL ARCH AT TRENTON (a most meagre looking affair), AND THE GALA DECORATIONS AT GRAY'S FERRY. Sharp, crisp and genuine impressions of these rare plates.

154 —— The same. Vol. 3, Nos. 6 and 7. *Green Woods near Salisbury, Conn.; Map of the Seat of War in Mass. (folding); Varied Landscape; Plough; 2 Tables.* 2 nos., 8vo, sewn, pp. (325)-444. Philadelphia, June-July, 1789

An Account of the Short Creek Settlement in the West, etc., etc.

155 —— Vol. 3, No. 8. *Federal Edifice, New York; Music for a New Song, by F[rancis] H[opkinson]; 2 Tables.* 8vo, sewn, pp. (445)-508. Philadelphia, Aug., 1789

With the rare folding VIEW OF THE FEDERAL EDIFICE, NEW YORK CITY, WHERE GEN. WASHINGTON TOOK THE OATH OF OFFICE AS FIRST PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES, accompanied by a detailed description of the building, its inner furnishings, etc., so accurate as to enable one to reproduce it to-day as it was in 1789.

- 156 —— The same. Vol. 3, Nos. 9 and 10. *Road from New-Windsor towards Morris Town, Jersey; Indian Works, Huron River; Apparatus; Springs; 3 Tables.* 2 nos., 8vo, sewn, pp. (505)-624.
Philadelphia, Sept.-Oct., 1789

Tour to the Eastern States, with description of NEW YORK CITY, (continued); The Country between North-river and Morristown, etc.

- 157 —— The same. Vol. 3, Nos. 11 and 12, and Supplement. *The Schuylkill, near Phila.; Paysaick Falls; Old Houses in Albany; Birds; Four Temperaments; Music; Table.* 3 nos., 8vo, sewn, pp. (625)-784, (4).
Philadelphia, Nov.-Dec., 1789

- 158 —— The same. Vols. 4 and 5, Nos. for Jan.-Dec., 1790. *Eng. Title, View of Fort McIntosh, Niagara Falls, the Public Bridge, Phila. and 4 others—7 plates in all, with the Tables.* 2 vols. in one, 8vo, old sheep (joints split and back strips missing; lacks 4 unimportant ll., 189-94, 383-84, 129-30).
Philadelphia, 1790

“Benjamin Franklin died April, 1790. In the May number of this Magazine there began on page 268, Vol. 4, a BIOGRAPHICAL SKETCH OF FRANKLIN of considerable merit, intended probably as a continuation of the ‘Autobiography’, which had not then been printed, and was continued in nine subsequent numbers, the last for June, 1791, Vol. 6. This interesting work broke off here, with an intimation that it would be finished in the next number, but it never was. This is probably accounted for by an obituary article in the May number of 1792, p. 293, in which is given a notice of Dr. Henry Stuber, acknowledging indebtedness to him for the greater part of the ‘Life of Dr. Franklin’, which appeared in the Asylum not long after his death”. —Henry Stevens. The numbers containing the Franklin Memoir are complete, with the exception of one unimportant leaf of a song at the end of one number. Commencing with March, 1790, the title was changed to “The Universal Asylum and Columbian Magazine”.

- 159 —— The same. Vols. 6 and 7, for Jan.-Dec., 1791. *Engraved titles and 2 plates.* 2 vols. in one, 8vo, old sheep (joints split and back strip missing).
Philadelphia, 1791

The Life of Franklin is continued in 5 numbers of Vol. 6. Vols. 4-6 also contain several LETTERS and other pieces by Franklin.

- 160 —— The same. Vol. 7, for July-Dec., 1791. *Engraved title.* 8vo, original boards, uncut.
Philadelphia, 1791

- 161 —— The same. Vols. 8 and 9, for Jan.-Dec., 1792. *Engraved titles and folding Map of Washington City.* 2 vols. in one, 8vo, old sheep (joints split and back strip missing).
Philadelphia, 1792

Contains Alex. Hamilton’s “Report on Manufactures”, the first argument in favor of the protection of American industries; also Description of Washington City.

162 CONFEDERATE. BROADSIDE. Head Quarters. Commander of the Post, Winchester, Va., April 17, 1862. Citizens of Winchester (etc., etc.). Signed, Wm. D. Lewis, Jr., Col. 110th Reg't. P. V. Commanding Post. Oblong 4to poster-broadside.

[Winchester, Va., 1862]

Proclamation to the citizens of Winchester by Col. Lewis, on his appointment as military governor of the place, after its capture by Gen. Shields. Accompanied by THE ORIGINAL MANUSCRIPT OF THE PROCLAMATION in Col. Lewis's handwriting. RARE.

163 CONFEDERATE. English Neutrality. Is the Alabama a British Pirate? (A reading of Law and History upon the Cases of the Alabama and Florida. By G. P. Lowrey.) 8vo, sewn.

Philadelphia: (For the Author), 1863

164 CONFEDERATE. General Orders from Adjutant and Inspector General's Office, Confederate States Army, in 1862; with full Index. 12mo, half leather.

Charleston, 1863

From Files of Head-Quarters, Department of Georgia, Florida and South Carolina.

165 CONFEDERATE. The Rebellion: Its Consequences, and the Congressional Committee, denominated the Reconstruction Committee, with their Action. By Investigator. *Portrait*. 8vo, half roan.

New Orleans, 1866

Papers issued by the Confederacy during the War, press contributions by Jacob Barker, etc. Has the three Appendices.

166 CONFEDERATE. [Pickett (John T.).] *Sigillologia*. Being Some Account of the Great or Broad Seal of the Confederate States of America. A Monograph. By Ioannes Didymus Archæologos. Small folio, half cloth and boards. Washington, 1873

WITH LONG MANUSCRIPT NOTE BY THE AUTHOR relating to "Cabalistic lore" discovered since the book went to press.

167 CONFEDERATE NAVY. A COLLECTION OF ORIGINAL PENCIL SKETCHES (and a few wash drawings) made by P. D. Haywood, on the famous Confederate man-of-war, "ALABAMA" on her historic cruise during the American Civil War, 1864.

There are 16 sheets, 8vo and larger, containing a large number of sketches—comic characters among the crew, fist fights, mutinous brawls, etc.; a large view of THE BATTLE BETWEEN THE *Kearsarge* AND THE *Alabama*, including scenes on board the latter during the engagement, and a final drawing of the *Alabama* sinking, taken from the deck of the French pilot-boat by which Haywood was rescued. Some of the drawings contain identifying and descriptive notes.

AN EXCEEDINGLY INTERESTING LOT.

168 CONGRESS. An Address of the Members of the House of Representatives, of the Congress of the U. S., to their Constituents, on the subject of the War with Great Britain. 8vo, sewn (outer edges cut close and name on title).

Philadelphia: U. S. Gazette Office, [1812]

169 CONGRESS. McLaughlin (J. F.). Matthew Lyon, The Hampden of Congress. A Biography. *Illustrations.* 8vo, cloth. New York: [Printed for the Author], 1900

Lyon cast the deciding vote which made THOMAS JEFFERSON PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES. His difficulty with Roger Griswold on the floor of Congress was much caricatured at the time. SCARCE.

170 CONSTITUTION. A Collection of the Constitutions of the Thirteen United States of North-America. 12mo, old sheep. Philadelphia: Glasgow: Re-printed by James Bryce, 1783
With "Verses on the Constitutions". THE FIRST SCOTCH EDITION!

WITH RARE CONTEMPORARY MAP OF THE WESTERN TERRITORIES, 1787, BY THE ENGRAVER OF THE MAP TO FILSON'S 'KENTUCKY'; EARLY PRINTINGS OF THE CONSTITUTION AND ORDINANCE OF 1787, AND AN ACCOUNT OF THE DISCOVERY OF PETROLEUM, 1787

171 CONSTITUTION. [M'Culloch (John).] Introduction to the History of America. Containing . . . History of the American War; A Short Account of the Constitution of each of the States; The Temporary Form of Government established by Congress for THE NEW STATES LAID OFF IN THE VACANT TERRITORY, etc., etc. Designed to instruct American Youth in the Elements of the History of their own Country. *With a correct map of the United States.* Small 8vo, ORIGINAL BOARDS (back and corners strengthened with vellum), TOTALLY UNCUT, pp. 207, (I).
Philadelphia: Printed and Sold by Young and M'Culloch, 1787

A BOOK OF GREAT INTEREST FROM MANY ANGLES, including very early printings of both THE CONSTITUTION OF THE UNITED STATES and THE ORDINANCE OF 1787, and constituting THE FIRST PRESENTATION OF THESE IMPORTANT DOCUMENTS TO THE YOUTH OF THE COUNTRY. The copyright notice is dated August 10th, 1787, and at foot of page 188 (the one just preceding the Constitution), appears the *errata* for the preceding leaves of the book, showing that the compiler had intended concluding the volume at this stage, with the addition only of the *chronological table* and *contents*, but the final passage of the Constitution and its release to the public (Sept. 17, 1787) happening to coincide with the completion of the work to this point, it is evident that he decided to include it among his selections and accordingly had it immediately put into type to be inserted at the end of the volume. Further proof of this is to be found in a footnote to page 118, which shows that over half of the book had already been put into type before the end of August, as well as in the fact that no reference whatever to the Constitution itself appears in the title-page, although the Ordinance of 1787 and the State Constitutions are therein mentioned. There is little doubt, therefore, but that this book, through a series of accidental circumstances, was one of the earliest, if not THE VERY FIRST BOOK PRINTED TO INCLUDE THE CONSTITUTION along with other matter.

There is, also, on page 188, a very interesting reference to THE DISCOVERY OF PETROLEUM IN WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA. "In surveying the lands on the Alleghany river, near FORT PITT, to be given to the officers and soldiers of the late Pennsylvania line, a large creek has been discovered,

named *Oil Creek*, from an oily or bituminous matter found floating on its surface. . . . This oil is said to be efficacious in curing rheumatic pains and old ulcers". This is one of THE EARLIEST REFERENCES TO THE DISCOVERY OF THIS VALUABLE PRODUCT BY THE AMERICANS TO BE FOUND IN A PRINTED BOOK.

THE FIRST ENGRAVED MAP OF THE UNITED STATES TO SHOW THE DIVISIONS OF THE WESTERN TERRITORIES.

THE FOLDING MAP IS OF GREAT INTEREST as being THE FIRST TO SHOW THE DIVISIONS OF THE NEW WESTERN TERRITORIES. The plate was engraved in 1784, and impressions were made from it in 1785, though as here printed, it varies slightly from its first state. The names of the states "that the country is to be laid off into" (ILLINOIA, Metropatamia, MICHIGANIA, Pelisipia, WASHINGTON, etc.) were suggested by THOMAS JEFFERSON during the deliberations in Congress in 1784. An interesting feature of the map is the noting of the "HEAD OF THE OREGON (RIVER), WHICH RUNS WEST TO THE PACIFIC OCEAN".

This map is reproduced (from a German copy of it) in Winsor's "Narrative and Critical Hist. of America", Vol. 7, p. 529. The engraver, HENRY D. PURSELL, was also the engraver of THE VERY RARE MAP TO FILSON'S "KENTUCKY," (1784). Fielding lists the Filson map, but THE ONE HERE DESCRIBED WAS UNKNOWN TO BOTH STAUFFER AND FIELDING. Nor is it mentioned (for the early biographical sketch of GEN'L WASHINGTON contained) in the catalogue of THE BOSTON ATHENÆUM'S GREAT COLLECTION OF WASHINGTONIANA. For the most part, the editor's selection of documents for "the youth of America" seems rather advanced even for that period of sturdy patriots, hence we do not wonder that it was not more widely distributed. We have not found any reference to it in sales' records and in the catalogues of the great American collectors of the past, and it seems strange that a book containing subject matter so much in vogue among the elder fraternity should have come down to us, through all these years, almost totally unknown. FINE, TALL AND CRISP COPY, IN THE ORIGINAL BOARDS, TOTALLY UNCUT AND UNUSED.

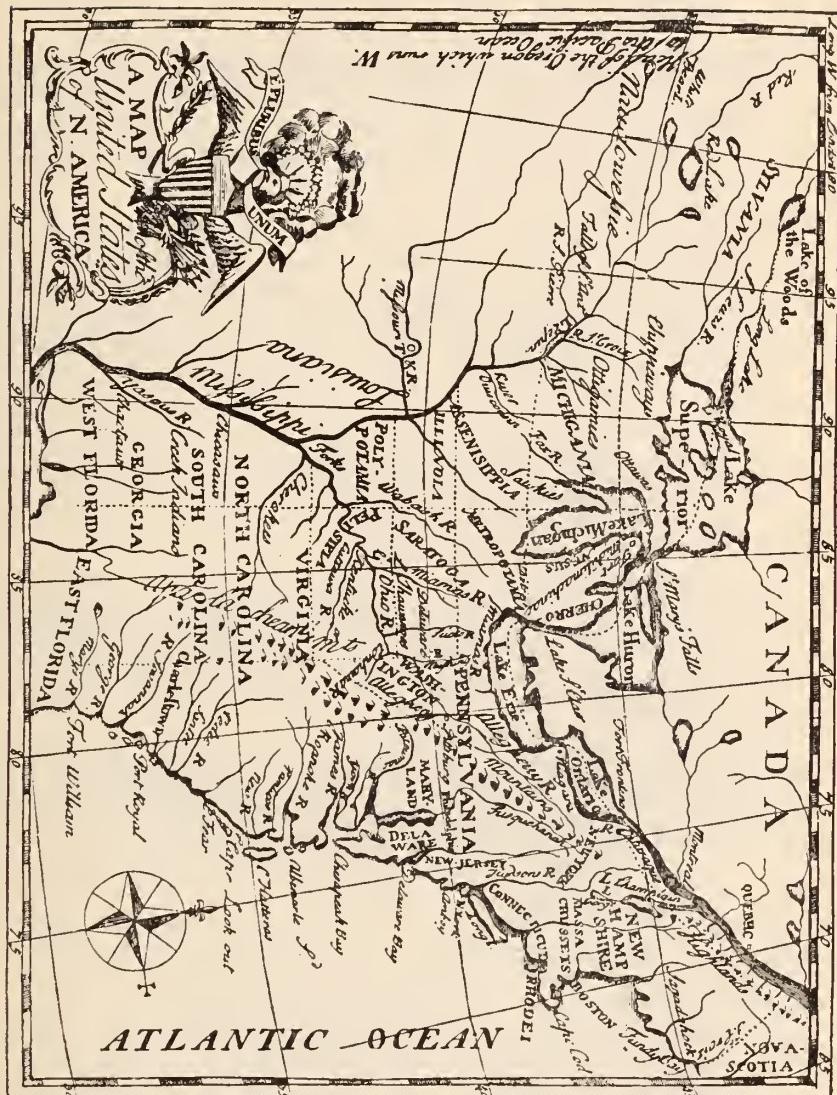
[SEE ILLUSTRATION]

- 172 CONSTITUTION. BROADSIDE. Supplement to the Independent Journal, New-York, July 2, 1788. . . . Ratification of the NEW CONSTITUTION, by THE CONVENTION OF VIRGINIA, on Wednesday last, by a majority of 10:—88 for it, 78 against it: [followed by the text of the ratification resolution and a letter from Richmond, regarding rejected amendments, etc.]. Folio broadside, uncut. New York: Printed by J. and A. M'Lean, [1788]

- 173 CONSTITUTION. Report of the Committee to whom was re-committed, their report on a Resolution of the Senate, "For obtaining information relative to the amendment proposed to the Constitution of the United States, concerning the suability of States." 8vo, sewn. [Philadelphia, 1797]

- 174 CONSTITUTION. Mr. [Samuel L.] Mitchell's (*sic*) Motion, in the Form of Joint Resolutions of the Two Houses proposing certain Articles of Amendment to THE CONSTITUTION of the United States, respecting the election of a PRESIDENT AND VICE-PRESIDENT, (including the New York Assembly's Resolutions on the same subject). 8vo, sewn. [Washington, 1802]

Autograph of Senator S. W. Dana.



DIVISION OF STATES, ORDINANCE OF 1784.*

THE FIRST ENGRAVED MAP OF THE UNITED STATES
TO SHOW THE DIVISIONS OF THE WESTERN TERRITORIES, 1787

[NUMBER 171]

175 CONSTITUTION. Report of the Committee, to whom were referred Two Motions for an Amendment to the Constitution of the United States respecting the election of President and Vice-President. 8vo, sewn. [Washington, 1803]

Senator Samuel W. Dana's copy, with his autograph and MANUSCRIPT CORRECTION IN THE TEXT.

176 CONSTITUTION. Mr. [John] Dawson's Motion, (respecting an Amendment to the U. S. Constitution as regards the election of President and Vice-President) amended. [Washington, 1803]

Printed on one side of a single sheet, 8vo, and VERY RARE. Autograph of Senator Sam'l W. Dana.

177 CONSTITUTION. Debates and other Proceedings of the Convention of Virginia, convened at Richmond, June 2, 1787, for the purpose of deliberating on the Constitution recommended by the grand Federal Convention. Taken in shorthand, by David Robertson, of Petersburg. 8vo, original sheep, *crisp copy*.

Richmond: Printed at the Enquirer-Press, 1805

AN IMPORTANT EDITION, "corrected and compared with a portion of the original stenographic notes, by the reporter,"—*Ford*. The preceding issue was printed without being proof read.

PRESENTATION COPY, with inscription, "1811", from THOMAS RITCHIE, the eminent editor of the Richmond *Enquirer*, for forty years one of the most powerful journals in the U. S.

178 CONSTITUTION. The Constitutions of the United States, . . . The Federal Constitution, The Bill of Rights of Virginia, etc. 8vo, old sheep (joint split). Winchester, Va.: J. Foster, 1811

Autograph of M. Ulshoeffer and MS. tables of references to other works, dates, etc.

179 CONSTITUTION. [Upshur (A. P.).] A Brief Enquiry into the True Nature and Character of our Federal Government: being a Review of Judge Story's Commentaries on the Constitution of the U. S. 8vo, half cloth and boards.

Petersburg, (Va.) : Printed by E. and J. C. Ruffin, 1840

ORIGINAL EDITION.

CONSTITUTION. See also under COLUMBIAN MAGAZINE.

180 CONSTITUTION OF COLORADO, 1876. The Constitution of the State of Colorado, adopted in Convention, March 14, 1876; also the Address of the Convention to the people of Colorado. 8vo, half cloth and boards, original printed wrappers preserved. Denver: Tribune Book and Job Printing House, 1876

ORIGINAL EDITION OF THE FIRST CONSTITUTION of the STATE OF COLORADO, set up by the Tribune Job Printing House soon after the Convention adjourned and before the first general election, held in July of the same year. Fine Copy. VERY SCARCE.

181 CONSTITUTION OF LIBERIA, 1825. Constitution, Government and Digest of the Laws of Liberia, as confirmed and established by the board of Managers of the American Colonization Society, May 23, 1825. 8vo, sewn.

Washington: Way & Gideon, 1825

RARE.

182 CONSTITUTION OF MASSACHUSETTS, 1778. Result of the Convention of Delegates, Holden at Ipswich in the County of Essex, who were Deputed to take into Consideration the Constitution and Form of Government, proposed by the Convention of the State of Massachusetts-Bay. 8vo, sewn, pp. 68.

Newbury-Port: Printed and Sold by John Mycall, 1778

VERY RARE. Unknown to Evans and others. Autograph of JONATHAN JACKSON on title.

183 CONSTITUTION OF MISSISSIPPI, 1817. Holmes (David). Letter from his Excellency Governor of the State of Mississippi transmitting a copy of the Constitution and Form of Government of the said state. Nov. 6, 1817. 8vo, sewn, pp. 23.

Washington, 1817

184 CONSTITUTION OF MISSISSIPPI, 1890. Constitution of the State of Mississippi, Adopted November 1, 1890. Printed by Authority. 8vo, boards, printed wrapper preserved.

Jackson, Miss.: E. L. Martin, 1891

ORIGINAL EDITION.

185 CONSTITUTION OF MONTANA, 1889. The Constitution of the State of Montana, as adopted by the Constitutional Convention, held at Helena, July 4, 1889. Also an Address to the People. Small 8vo, boards, original wrappers preserved.

Helena: Published by Authority, [1889]

ORIGINAL EDITION OF THE FIRST CONSTITUTION OF MONTANA. Interesting bibliographicallly, and strongly suggestive of the devil-may-care spirit of the West. Printed on cheap, yellowish paper, it looks more like a dime novel than the fundamental law of a great commonwealth. Fine, clean copy. VERY SCARCE.

186 CONSTITUTION OF NEW HAMPSHIRE, 1792. The Constitution of New Hampshire, as altered and amended by a Convention of Delegates, held at Concord, . . . on the second Wednesday of February, 1792. 12mo, new boards (small hole in half title and lower corners clipped).

Printed at Concord, by George Hough, for the Convention, [1792]

ORIGINAL EDITION.

187 CONSTITUTION OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1895. Constitution of the State of South Carolina, Ratified in Convention, Dec. 4, 1895. 8vo, boards, original covers preserved.

Columbia, S. C.: C. A. Calvo, Jr., 1895

ORIGINAL EDITION.

188 **CONSTITUTION OF UTAH, 1895.** Report of the Governor of the Territory of Utah to the Secretary of the Interior; (With the Constitution of the State, as framed at Salt Lake City, May 8, 1895.) 8vo, boards, original covers preserved.

Washington, 1895

189 **CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION (THE); its History, Powers, and Modes of Proceeding.** By J. A. Jameson. 8vo, cloth. New York, 1867

190 **COOK-POTTER SCANDAL.** New Jersey Court of Errors and Appeals * * * The State vs. (Dr.) Silas Cook, in error, on indictment for Rape. 8vo, sewn, pp. 16. N. p., 1854

The testimony of Mrs. Potter, her aunt, etc.

191 **CORNELIUS (ELIAS).** A. L. s. addressed to Hon. J. C. Calhoun, regarding his selection of promising Indian youths “*with a view to their regular and more liberal education in the State of Connecticut.*” 6 pp., folio. Washington, 1818

The writer, well known as the author of “The Little Osage Captive,” gives an account of the first four selected, one Choctaw and three Cherokees, with details of their families. Unpublished details of the heroism of the Indians in the Florida War at the battle of the “Horse Shoe”, etc.

192 **COTTON STEALING.** A Novel. 12mo, original cloth.

Chicago: Walsh, 1866

Founded on incidents connected with the Cotton Trade within the Union Army lines during the Civil War. By J. E. Chamberlain. Scarce.

193 **CUBAN INSURRECTION.** A Series of Articles on the Cuban Question. Published by the Editors of “La Verdad”. 8vo, wrappers. New York, 1849

Complete set of this rare series, with all titles, including “The United States Government has Injured the Liberty of the People of Cuba”; “Of the Advantages which the Annexation of Cuba offers to America”, with map; “Thoughts upon the Incorporation of Cuba into the American Confederation.”

194 **CURIER AND IVES PRINTS. CALIFORNIA VIEWS.** Yo-Semite Falls, California. IN COLORS.

New York: Currier and Ives, n. d. 12½ x 8½ inches

Fine Copy. Brilliant coloring.

195 **CURIER AND IVES PRINTS. CALIFORNIA VIEWS.** “Bridal Veil” Fall, Yo-Semite Valley, California. IN COLORS.

New York: Currier and Ives, n. d. 12½ x 8½ inches

Fine Copy. Brilliant coloring.

- 196 **CURRIER AND IVES PRINTS.** CALIFORNIA VIEWS. Looking Down the Yo-Semite. IN COLORS.
New York: Currier and Ives, n. d. 12½ x 8½ inches
Fine Copy. Brilliant coloring.
- 197 **CURRIER AND IVES PRINTS.** CALIFORNIA VIEWS. The Washington Columns. Yo-Semite Valley. IN COLORS.
New York: Currier and Ives, n. d. 12½ x 8½ inches
Fine Copy. Brilliant coloring.
- 198 **CURRIER AND IVES PRINTS.** THE ROCKY MOUNTAINS (Herds of Buffaloes, etc.) IN COLORS.
New York: Currier and Ives, n. d. 12½ x 8½ inches
Fine Copy. Brilliant coloring.
- 199 **CURRIER AND IVES PRINTS.** View on the Delaware, near Easton, Pa. IN COLORS.
New York: Currier and Ives, n. d. 12½ x 8½ inches
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- 200 **DAKOTA.** Welsh (Herbert). Four Weeks among some of the Sioux Tribes of Dakota and Nebraska. 8vo, wrappers.
Germantown: [For the Author], 1882
- 201 **DAKOTA.** Welsh (Herbert). Report of a Visit to the Great Sioux Reserve, Dakota. Small 4to, paper.
Philadelphia: [Ind. Rights Ass'n], 1883
- 202 **DAVIS (R. C.).** Reminiscences of a Voyage Around the World. 12mo, cloth.
Ann Arbor, Mich.: Dr. Chase's Steam Printing House, 1869
The author sailed (1849) on the *Hampton*, Bath, Me., via Cape Horn, to SAN FRANCISCO AND THE SANDWICH AND OTHER ISLANDS OF THE WESTERN PACIFIC, etc., visiting San Francisco during the "gold rush", etc.
- 203 **DEARBORN (HENRY A. S.).** Letters on the Internal Improvement and Commerce of the West; [with descriptions of Missouri, Wisconsin, Iowa, and further west]. 8vo, original wrappers (slightly stained).
Boston, 1839
John Bigelow says of this pamphlet, that it "has an important bearing upon the future usefulness of our Western Railroad."
- 204 **DELAHAY (MARK W.).** Circular Issued by the Surveyor of Kansas and Nebraska transmitted to the Hon. Commissioner of the General Land Office on 2nd Day of September, 1861. (On the disposal of the Cherokee Neutral Lands.) 8vo, original printed wrappers.
Leavenworth, Kansas, 1861

- 205 **DELAWARE.** [McKean (Thomas) and Physick (Edmund).] A Calm Appeal to the People of the State of Delaware. 8vo, half roan, **UNCUT**, pp. 22 (some leaves slightly discolored).

Philadelphia: Printed by Zachariah Poulson, Junr., [1793]

AN EXTREMELY RARE AND IMPORTANT PAMPHLET, being an appeal to the voters of the state to return to the Assembly men of such intelligence and probity as would be likely to repeal certain laws enacted by the previous legislature, which practically confiscated the vast unappropriated and vacant lands belonging to the PENNS AS PROPRIETARIES; warmly defending their title to the same and intimating, in case the lawmakers failed to pursue a more enlightened policy, that the matter would be carried to the Supreme Court of the United States for adjudication. An able address, by Thomas McKean, the signer, and Edmund Physick, as AGENTS OF THE PENNS, constituting a learned review of the whole question of jurisdiction and land titles in Delaware from the time of the discovery by the Cabots in 1497 to the American Revolution. Autograph of Thomas Parke on title.

- 206 **DELAWARE LAWS.** Laws of the State of Delaware passed at a Session of the General Assembly, at Dover, Jan. 1, 1833. 8vo, sewn, uncut, pp. (201-203), 204-(298), 14.

Wilmington: J. N. Harker, 1833

ORIGINAL EDITION.

- 207 —— The same. Another copy (writing on title and MS. note).

- 208 **DODGE (GRENVILLE M.).** Wonderful Story of the Building of the Pacific Roads. *Map.* 8vo, paper, pp. 24.

Omaha, 1889

- 209 **DODGE (GRENVILLE M.).** A Brief Biographical Sketch of the Life of Major-General Grenville M. Dodge, compiled from official records, by J. T. Granger, Private Secretary. *Portrait.* 8vo, flexible morocco (rubbed).

New York, 1893

PRIVately PRINTED. Pacific Railroad Explorations, Indian Hostilities, etc.

- 210 **[DUANE (WILLIAM).]** The Mississippi Question Fairly Stated, and Views and Arguments of those who clamor for war fairly stated (on the reported cession of Louisiana to France.) The seven letters complete in one volume. 8vo, sewn. Phila., 1803: [*also,*] The Speeches of James Ross and Gouverneur Morris on the Mississippi Question. 8vo, boards. Philadelphia, 1803

Duane's pamphlet is a reply to these two inflammatory speeches on the free navigation of the Mississippi. Fine copies of two rare pamphlets.

- 211 **DUER (WILLIAM ALEXANDER).** A Reply to Mr. Colden's Vindication of the Steam-Boat Monopoly, with an appendix containing copies of the most important documents. 8vo, sewn, uncut.

Albany, 1819

One of the important Fitch-Fulton controversial pamphlets.

212 EARLY AMERICAN NOVELS. [Rush (Rebecca).] Kelroy,
A Novel. By a Lady of Pennsylvania. 12mo, original calf
(slightly time-discolored and one or two margins very slightly
affected). Philadelphia: Bradford & Inskeep, 1812

RARE. The authoress was a daughter of Judge Jacob Rush and niece
of Benjamin Rush, Signer of the Declaration of Independence. The
story is original and deals with American social life of the period.

213 EARLY EXPLORATIONS OF THE WEST. TRIMBLE
(WILLIAM A.—*Brevet Lieut. Col., U. S. Army*). AUTOGRAPH
LETTER, signed, 2 pp., 4to, Natchitoches, Oct. 1, 1817. To his
brother, Major Allen Trimble, at Hillsborough, Ohio.

INTERESTING LETTER, announcing the writer's return from AN EXPLORING EXPEDITION 900 MILES UP THE RED RIVER in 1817. "I returned to this place on the 27th ultimo having explored the Red River three hundred miles by land and upwards of six hundred miles by water. I saw a great variety of country, some of the first quality; but a large proportion of broken country, which is best calculated for the habitation and sustenance of wild beasts. The people are crazy about what is called the Red River country, and notwithstanding the claims of the Indians and the prohibition of government are removing to it from Kentucky, Tennessee, Indiana and Illinois in very considerable numbers": followed by a description of, and comments upon, the sections traversed, reference to "immense droves of Buffaloe", etc., etc. This expedition is not mentioned in Lieut. Warren's *Memoir*, and we have been unable to find a reference to it anywhere. It was probably sent out for the purpose of gaining information regarding the Louisiana and New Mexican Boundary, which the government had been disappointed in getting, previously, owing to the arrest of Maj. Z. M. Pike and the seizure of his papers by the Spanish authorities.

214 EARLY LAWS OF THE SPANISH INDIES, (NORTH AND SOUTH AMERICA). Recopilacion de Leyes de los Reynos de las Indias. Mandadas imprimir, y publicar por la Magestad Catolica del Rey Don Carlos II. Segunda Edicion. 4 vols., folio, original limp vellum (back of one vol. chipped and sides of another wormed—text crisp and clean).

Madrid: A. Balbas, 1756

THE EARLY LAWS OF THE SPANISH POSSESSIONS IN AMERICA, including the territories later acquired by the U. S. from Spain and Mexico, viz.—LOUISIANA, and all THE WESTERN STATES encompassed within its ancient bounds, FLORIDA, CALIFORNIA, TEXAS, NEW MEXICO, etc., etc.

Some of the more important subjects treated of are as follows:—Discoveries; colonization of the Indians; the founding and settlement of new towns; grants and sales of lands and building lots; warfare against the Indians; forts and fortifications; conveyances of letters by expresses or post couriers; roads, inns, taverns; boundaries; taxes, commerce and manufactures; the discovery and working of mines and the assaying and stamping of wrought precious metals; duties, etc. of high officials, physicians, apothecaries, notaries; law courts and legal proceedings; regulation of the Indians, their marriages, employment, instruction, etc. and their exemption from slavery; revenues, exports and imports; military; trade and navigation; pirates, etc.

Bancroft devotes over five pages in small type to the importance of the work, and several bibliographers refer to its great scarcity. Rich, many years ago, stated that "a copy could not be had in Spain at any price".

- 215 **EARLY VOYAGES TO AMERICA AND THE SOUTH SEAS.** Herrera (Ant. de). Description Des Indes Occidentales, qu'on appelle aujourd'huy Le Nouveau Monde. *Engraved title, 5 plates and 17 Maps.* Small folio, old paper wrappers (margins of first 15 leaves gnawed into at two places affecting eng. title and some letters at few places).

Amsterdam: Chez Emeneuel Colin, 1622

“Valuable as containing the first edition of THE GENUINE VOYAGE OF LE MAIRE (TO THE SOUTH SEAS) as distinguished from that which had been, through the Duteh India Company's jealousy of Le Maire, published under the name of Schouten, one of Le Maire's commanders”; also the Spanish and English Voyages to Magellan's Straits and the description of America by Ordonnez and Bertius, etc., etc. With the first leaves repaired, could be made a fine copy.

- 216 **EARLY WASHINGTON IMPRINT.** The Miser and Enthusiast: A Novel. By the author of the Adulteress. Second Edition. 12mo, sewn.

Washington City: Printed at the Apollo Press, by W. Duane and Son, 1802

The author, an idealist, came to America and settled in the West, where he was roundly swindled in the purchase of a large estate, paying double its value, etc.

- 217 **EARLY WEST.** Blount (William). In Senate of the United States, July 6, 1797. 8vo, sewn, pp. 5 (tear at outer edge of one leaf carrying away a few letters).

[Philadelphia: W. Ross, 1797]

Includes a letter from Senator William Blount, of Tennessee, in which he outlines his SECRET PLANS FOR INSTIGATING THE CREEK AND CHEROKEE INDIANS to assist the British in SEIZING THE SPANISH TERRITORIES OF LOUISIANA AND FLORIDA, etc.

- 218 **EARLY WEST.** [Jefferson (Thomas), Cooper (Richard [F.]) and others.] Message from the President, accompanying a Report of the Secretary of State and Sundry Letters respecting the Copper Mines on the South side of Lake Superior. 8vo, sewn, pp. 12.

[Washington City: Printed by William Duane, 1802]

Correspondence between Richard [F.] Cooper and the Secretary of State relative to an EXPLORING EXPEDITION TO THE LAKE SUPERIOR COPPER DISTRICT.

Richard Fenimore Cooper (of Coopers-town, N. Y., an elder brother of the eminent novelist, JAMES FENIMORE COOPER), was appointed to head the expedition, and although it proceeded no farther than CANAJOHARIE, where it was stopped owing to the expiration of legal authority to proceed, it was nevertheless THE FIRST EXPLORING EXPEDITION TO THIS PART OF THE WEST PROJECTED BY THE AMERICAN GOVERNMENT. Autograph of Senator Sam'l. W. Dana.

- 219 **EARLY WEST.** Schultz (Christian). Travels on an Inland Voyage through the States of New York, Pennsylvania, Virginia, Ohio, Kentucky and Tennessee, and through the Territories of Indiana, Louisiana, Mississippi and New Orleans, 1807-1808; a

Tour of Nearly Six Thousand Miles. *Engraved portrait, 2 plates and 5 folding maps.* 2 vols., 8vo, boards, uncut, and sheep (some pp. discolored—wants rebinding).

New York: Printed by Isaac Riley, 1810

Sabin calls for *portrait, plate and 3 maps*; but this copy contains an engraved portrait, 2 PLATES AND 5 MAPS.

- 220 **EARLY WEST.** The Wandering Philanthropist; or, Letters from a Chinese: Written during his residence in the U. S. Edited by George Fowler, of Virginia. 12mo, sewn. Philadelphia, 1810

ORIGINAL EDITION. The author, an Englishman, travelled WEST as far as THE INDIANA AND MISSISSIPPI TERRITORIES, and gives an interesting picture of the manners and customs of the time—poor roads, cock fighting, duels, intemperance, politics, the press, agriculture, schools, slavery, the Indians, etc.

- 221 **EARLY WEST.** Message from the President . . . accompanied with Sundry Documents on the Failure of the Arms of the U. States on the Northern Frontier. *Folded table.* 8vo, sewn, pp. 115, 114. Washington: A. & G. Way, 1814

Correspondence of Generals Dearborn, Wilkinson and others, regarding THE AMERICAN DISASTERS IN THE NORTHWEST DURING THE WAR OF 1812.

- 222 **EARLY WEST.** Adams (John Quincy). The Duplicate Letters, The Fisheries and THE MISSISSIPPI. Documents relating to Transactions at the Negotiation of Ghent. 8vo, original printed wrappers, totally uncut, pp. 223, 1.

LOUISVILLE, Ky.: Printed by S. Penn, Jr., 1823

A VERY SCARCE EDITION, unknown to Sabin and others. Fine, unopened copy.

- 223 **EARLY WEST.** Message of the President to Both Houses of Congress, Second Session, Twentieth Congress. *Tables.* 8vo, sewn, totally uncut. Washington, 1828

Contains a letter from Isaac McCoy describing his tour over the country between Osage river and the upper branches of Neosho, extending 140 miles west of Missouri; dated October 17, 1828.

- 224 **EARLY WEST.** A Series of Miscellaneous Letters from a Father to His Children. By A Layman. 18mo, cloth. South Hanover, Ia. (Indiana), 1835

An unknown little volume, describing pioneer life in Kentucky and Indiana. The author was born in Virginia in 1774, and moved to the wilds of Kentucky in the fall of 1779.

- 225 **EARLY WEST.** Hunt (Rachel). Autumnal Fruits and Flowers; (with Notes on a Visit to the Yearly Meeting of Ohio, going and returning, in 1819, pp. 12-45). 12mo, sewn (title a little dust-soiled). Philadelphia, 1843

"Written often in the Wagon as we stopped to water the horses." Printed for the author, and unknown to Sabin, Thomson and others.

- 226 **EARLY WEST.** Prospectus of Squier and Davis' "Ancient Monuments of the Mississippi Valley", pp. 8. *Presentation copy from E. H. Davis, with inscription.* 4to, sewn. New York, 1848
- 227 **EARLY WEST.** Mackay (Alex.). The Western World; or, Travels in the U. S. in 1846-47: including a Chapter on CALIFORNIA. 2 vols., 12mo, cloth. Philadelphia, 1849
- 228 **EARLY WEST.** Luck of a Wandering Dane. By Hans Lykkejaeger, Soldier and Sailor, Tramp and Trader, Soap-Boiler and Scribe, Peddler and Philosopher, Overseer and Understrapper, etc., etc. *Illustrations.* Small 8vo, original cloth. Philadelphia: Matlack and Harvey, Printers, [1885]
A considerable part of the author's varied experiences was in the far West. Arriving in San Francisco in 1864, he marched with the Second California Regiment under Col. George Wright against the Arizona and Colorado Indians, peddled cheap jewellery throughout Oregon Territory, worked with the engineers on the Pacific Railway, as a Railroad policeman at Ogden, Utah, etc.
- 229 **EARTHQUAKES.** A Particular Account of the late Dreadful Earthquake at Lisbon: . . . (also) An Account of the Terrible Earthquake at PORT-ROYAL IN JAMAICA, in 1692. By a Minister then resident on the Spot. London, (1755): with 8 other pamphlets, all relating to the Earthquake at Lisbon. 9 pamphlets in one vol., 8vo, old half sheep. London, 1755-56
Eye-witness narratives of the disaster and discussions of it from many angles, including its disturbance of trade, economic consequences, political aspects, etc.
- ENGRAVINGS, EARLY AMERICAN.** See under AMERICAN REVOLUTION and COLUMBIAN MAGAZINE.
- 230 **EXPLORATIONS OF THE WEST, ORIGINAL NARRATIVES OF.** Abert (J. W.). Message from the President, communicating a Report of an Expedition (to New Mexico and the Southern Rocky Mountains) led by Lieut. Abert on the Upper Arkansas and through the country of the Comanche Indians, 1845. *Large folding map and 12 plates.* 8vo, sewn.
[Washington, 1846]
Wagner, No. 107. "Abert made the first astronomical observations through this unknown country, and his map is of great importance."
- 231 — Allen (J.). Captain J. Allen's Expedition. . . . The Report, Journal and Map of the Expedition to the Heads of the Rivers Des Moines, Blue Earth, etc., [dated St. Louis, 1844]. 8vo, sewn, pp. 18. [Washington, 1846]
The map was never published, and is now lost. Capt. Allen explored the country as far as "the Lake of the Oaks" and the Big Sioux River, returning to Fort Des Moines. Not in Wagner.

- 232 —— Fremont (J. C.). Geographical Memoir upon Upper California, in illustration of his Map of Oregon and California. *Large folding map.* 8vo, original printed wrappers (small corner off back wrapper). Washington, 1848

VERY RARE WITH THE MAP. The map proving too heavy to be inserted in such a thin paper covered pamphlet was left out of all but a very few copies. "I have seen many copies in the original wrappers, only one with the map."—Wagner, (No. 132).

- 233 —— Simpson (J. H.). Report of the Sect'y of War, communicating the Report and Map of the Route from Fort Smith, Arkansas, to Santa Fe, New Mexico, by Lieut. Simpson, (dated Aug. 13, 1849). *4 folding maps.* 8vo, sewn, pp. 25. [Washington, 1850]

Wagner, No. 166.

- 234 —— McCall (George A.). Report of the Sect'y of War, communicating Col. McCall's Reports in Relation to New Mexico. 8vo, sewn. [Washington, 1851]

Wagner, No. 172.

- 235 —— Barney (Joshua). Letter from the Sect'y of War, communicating a Report, Estimates and Map of the Survey of a Route for a Road from St. Louis to the Big Bend of Red River, by Joshua Barney, (May 25, 1850). *Folding Map.* 8vo, sewn. [Washington, 1852]

- 236 —— Graham (J. D.). Report of the Sect'y of War, communicating the Report of Lieut. Col. Graham on the Boundary Line between the U. S. and Mexico, 1852. *2 folding Maps.* 8vo, sewn, pp. 250. [Washington, 1852]

Wagner, No. 181. Journals of Explorations in New Mexico, Whipple's survey of the Gila River, etc.

- 237 —— Derby (George H.). Report of the Sect'y of War, communicating a Report (of a Reconnaissance) of the Tulare Valley, (California), by Lieut. Derby, (Monterey, Apr. 9, 1850). *Folding Map.* 8vo, sewn, pp. 17. [Washington, 1852]

The author was the well-known wag and humorist, "John Phoenix", author of "Phoenixiana", etc.

- 238 —— Fremont (J. C.). Central Railroad Route to the Pacific . . . Some General Results of a recent Winter Expedition across the Rocky Mountains. 8vo, sewn, pp. 7. [Washington, 1854]

Wagner, No. 203.

- 239 —— Carleton (J. H.). Diary of An Excursion to the Ruins of Abó, Quarra and Gran Quivira, in New Mexico, under the command of Maj. J. H. Carleton, U. S. A. (9th Ann. Report Smith. In., pp. 296-316) 8vo, sewn. Washington, 1855

Wagner, No. 210.

- 240 —— Gray (A. B.). Report of the Sect'y of the Interior, communicating a Report and Map of A. B. Gray, relative to the Mexican Boundary. *2 folding maps.* 8vo, sewn.
[Washington, 1855]
Wagner, No. 211.
- 241 —— Mullan (John). Report on the Construction of a Military Road from Fort Walla-Walla to Fort Benton. *10 beautifully colored plates and 4 Maps.* 8vo, half morocco (joints weak).
Washington, 1863
PRESENTATION COPY FROM THE AUTHOR, with inscription in his hand. An early copy, with fine impressions of the plates and with ALL THE PLATES COLORED. Wagner calls for only 9 plates in colors.
- 242 FIRE ARMS, EARLY AMERICAN. North (S. N. D and R. H.). Simeon North; First Official Pistol Maker of the U. S. A Memoir. *Full-page illustrations.* 8vo, cloth, uncut.
Concord, N. H., 1813
See also under AMERICAN REVOLUTION, No. 37.
- 243 [FITZWILLIAM (WILLIAM W.)] AND CHEADLE (W. B.). An Expedition across the Rocky Mountains into British Columbia, by the Yellow Head or Leather Pass. By Viscount Milton and W. B. Cheadle. 8vo, original printed wrappers, pp. 37.
London : PRINTED FOR PRIVATE CIRCULATION, [1865]
AN EXTREMELY RARE PAMPHLET, of which, it is said, only 50 COPIES WERE PRINTED and SUPPRESSED at the request of the Hudson's Bay Company. Mr. Wagner refers to it as an item he had never seen, nor have we been able to find it in any other bibliography. Apparently the first copy offered.
[SEE ILLUSTRATION]
- 244 FIVE YEARS BEFORE THE MAST, or Life in the Forecastle aboard of a Whaler and Man-of-War. By Jacob A. Hazen. *Illustrations.* 12mo, cloth (back chipped—text crisp).
Philadelphia, 1854
FIRST EDITION. Scarce.
- 245 FLAGS CAPTURED BY THE UNITED STATES FORCES IN THE REVOLUTION, WAR OF 1812, ETC. Report of the Committee . . . on the Flags, Standards and Colors taken by the U. S. Forces from their Enemies, etc. *Folded table.* 8vo, sewn, pp. 13.
Washington, 1814
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[NUMBER 243]

247 FLORIDA. Printed Land Warrant, with autograph signature of PETER CHESTER, GOVERNOR AND CAPTAIN GENERAL OF WEST FLORIDA, and countersigned by PHILIP LIVINGSTON, JR., Sec'y, for a tract of 500 acres of land, on the Mississippi adjoining Vignole's land, granted to Edwin Thomas. Dated 4th Feb'y, 1772.

The form above was apparently issued from a regular printing establishment. As the second "7" in the date is supplied in MS. over a printed "6", it was evidently printed in the 1760s. A comparison of types shows a similarity to certain letters used by JAMES JOHNSTON, who established his press at SAVANNAH in 1762.

248 FLORIDA. Original Manuscript Document, 1½ pp. folio, entirely in the handwriting of, and signed (twice) by MAJOR ALEXANDER DICKSON, commander of THE BRITISH FORCES IN WEST FLORIDA, being a petition to Gov. CHESTER for a tract of 3,000 acres of land on the Houma Chito. Dated PENSACOLA, 27th September, 1774.

It was MAJOR (later COLONEL) DICKSON who surrendered BATON ROUGE AND FORT PANMURE, near NATCHEZ, to the Spanish General DE GALVEZ, (GOVERNOR OF LOUISIANA), on Sept. 21, 1779. RARE AUTOGRAPH.

249 FLORIDA. Printed Land Warrant, with autograph signature of Gov. PETER CHESTER, and countersigned by PHILIP LIVINGSTON, JR., Sect'y, for a tract of 200 acres of land on Thompson's Creek, granted to William Morris. Dated 5th Sept., 1776.

Accompanied by AN ORIGINAL MANUSCRIPT SURVEY of the tract by ELIAS DURNFORD, Surveyor General of the Province. The printed form here used is very interesting, as it bears every evidence of having been printed on a hand press, which was probably kept in the secretary's office at PENSACOLA. Two printers are known to have established presses for a short time at St. Augustine, in 1784, and the first printing at NATCHEZ was around 1797.

250 FLORIDA. MATHEWS (GEORGE—*Brig. Gen'l in the Revolution and fought in the Indian Wars; later Governor of Georgia*). Letter, signed, 2½ pp., 4to, East Florida, March 21, 1812. To John Steele, Collector of the Port of Philadelphia.

IMPORTANT LETTER, announcing THE CESSION OF FLORIDA TO THE UNITED STATES IN 1812. "A revolution has lately been effected in Florida, and the late Province, with the exception of the Town and Citadel of St. Augustine, ceded to the United States. . . . On the 16th the Patriots summoned the Town of Fernandina to surrender. It capitulated on the 17th, and on the 18th the Patriots ceded an extensive district, including the Town Waters and Islands to the United States, through me as U. S. Commissioner. In that capacity, I took possession with a detachment of U. S. Troops, to hold and defend the same for the United States", etc. Is signed and has a postscript in Gen'l Mathews' hand, with address. RARE AUTOGRAPH.

251 FLORIDA. Memoirs of GENERAL ANDREW JACKSON, together with the Letter of Mr. Secretary Adams, in vindication of the Execution of Arbuthnot and Ambrister, and the other Public

Acts of Gen. Jackson in Florida. 8vo, sewn, pp. 40 (blank corners of few latter leaves slightly gnawed).

Bridgeton, N. J.: Printed by Simeon Siegfried, 1824

CLEAN, CRISP COPY OF A RARE JACKSON BIOGRAPHY and an important item of EARLY FLORIDA HISTORY.

- 252 **FLORIDA.** A Collection of 53 AUTOGRAPH LETTERS, DEEDS AND OTHER PAPERS, relating almost entirely to LANDS in ST. JOHNS and MOSQUITO COUNTIES, FLORIDA, 1829-49.

These letters, dated mainly between 1829-'39, run from one to eight pages each, and contain a great deal of information relating to the Territory at this period. Acknowledging the receipt of a book from a friend in the North, one correspondent at ST. AUGUSTINE expresses his appreciation as follows—"New books, are in this miserable forlorn place, as 'Manna in the Wilderness', and we receive these sweet messengers from a world beyond our reach, with a welcome that may appear extravagant to persons more favored than ourselves in their location."

- 253 **FLORIDA.** Letter, signed, of MAJ.-GEN'L. EDMUND P. GAINES, 4 pp., 4to, Washington, April 11, 1837. To Joel R. Poinsett.

A protest to the Secretary of War in regard to the injustice shown Gen'l. Gaines at the court of inquiry held in consequence of THE MASSACRE OF MAJOR DADE AND HIS COMMAND BY THE INDIANS IN THE SEMINOLE WAR, December, 1835. This letter is accompanied by five others (transcripts), all in the handwriting of Maj. Woodburn Potter, aide to Gen. Gaines and author of "The War in Florida" (Balto., 1836), relating to this affair, and the unpleasantness between Gen'l. Gaines and Gen'l. WINFIELD SCOTT and "the 'challenge' of which Gen. Scott has permitted himself to speak in terms of such pure gasconade."

- 254 **FLORIDA.** The Monthly Magazine of Religion and Literature Edited by W. M. Reynolds. Vol. 1, Nos. 1 to 12, 1840-'41—all published. With title-page and Contents. 8vo, half sheep.

Gettysburg: Printed by H. C. Neinstedt, 1840-41

Contains "A Sketch of the Indian Tribes known under the appellation of Muskogees (or Seminoles). By an officer of the Medical Staff, U. S. Army", pp. 137-147; also, "Scenes in the Life of a Western Emigrant (Illinois, Indiana, etc.). By a Hoosier Lady": in three chapters. Numerous clippings inserted. Rare.

- 255 **FLORIDA.** Florida: Its Climate, Soil and Productions, with Sketch of its History, Natural Features and Social Condition; a Manual of Reliable Information concerning the Resources of the State and the Inducements to Settlers. Prepared and Issued by the Florida Improvement Company. Map and Illustrations. 8vo, new boards. New York: Florida Imp. Co., 1869

SCARCE COLONIZATION PAMPHLET. FINE COPY.

- 256 **FLORIDA.** Churchill (Franklin Hunter). Sketch of the Life of Bvt. Brig. Gen. Sylvester Churchill, Inspector General U. S. Army; (with official history of the Florida War). 8vo, flexible cloth. New York, 1888

PRIVately PRINTED. With slip of errata.

FLORIDA. See also under COLUMBIAN MAGAZINE.

- 257 **FLORIDA, TEXAS, Etc.** Carter (Jacob). My Drunken Life, in Fifteen Chapters, from 1825 to 1847. 16mo, originally printed wrappers, pp. 96. Boston: Printed for the Author, 1848

A racy and very refreshing narrative of the author's travels in various parts of the United States, Texas, etc., including his theatrical tour to the West in 1833; his three years in the U. S. Navy on board the U. S. S. *Concord* during THE FLORIDA AND TEXAN WARS; his expedition to THE NORTHWEST in the U. S. Army, and later as a member of the "Tennessee Bear Hunters" (Texan Volunteers), etc.; with interesting and humorous anecdotes of sailors, soldiers, actors, Naval and Army officers and rounders of every description, encountered in his experiences. He also describes a series of THEATRICAL PERFORMANCES given on board the American Sloop of War, *Concord*, while anchored in the harbor of PENSACOLA in the Summer of 1838, which were, probably, THE FIRST EXHIBITIONS OF THE KIND IN ENGLISH BEFORE A FLORIDA AUDIENCE. A VERY RARE LITTLE BOOK, apparently now first offered and described.

FOX HUNTING. See under AMERICAN ANTIQUE POWDER HORNS.

- 258 **FRANKLIN (BENJAMIN).** Political, Miscellaneous and Philosophical Pieces, (including "THE WAY TO WEALTH") . . . Now first collected, with Notes, Index, etc. *Portrait, 3 plates and folded table.* 8vo, old blue limp boards, TOTALLY UNCUT.

London: J. Johnson, 1779

THE FIRST COLLECTED EDITION OF FRANKLIN'S WRITINGS (other than those on scientific subjects) and THE ONLY ONE PRINTED DURING HIS LIFE TIME. It was edited by his friend Benj. Vaughan, with his consent and assistance, and contains valuable notes and *errata* by Franklin himself. AN EXCEEDINGLY CRISP AND CLEAN COPY, TOTALLY UNCUT. VERY RARE THUS.

- 259 [FRANKLIN (BENJAMIN).] [*The Way to Wealth.*] The Immortal Mentor; or, Man's Unerring Guide, etc. By Lewis Cornaro, Dr. Franklin and Dr. Scott. 12mo, sheep (one cover loose—text good).

Mill-Hill, near Trenton (N. J.): D. Fenton, 1810

VERY SCARCE. This copy contains 8 pages at end, instead of *three*, as given by Ford in the two copies located by him in his bibliography of Franklin.

- 260 **FRANKLIN (BENJAMIN).** The Monument of Patriotism, etc. (Lives of Franklin, Washington, Andrew Jackson, Z. M. Pike, Paul Jones, etc.) By John Royer. 12mo, sheep (back partly chipped).

Pottstown, 1825

FRANKLIN (BENJAMIN). See also under COLUMBIAN MAGAZINE.

INDIAN MASSACRES ON THE WESTERN FRONTIERS, 1759

- 261 **FRANKLIN IMPRINT.** From Our Yearly Meeting held at Philadelphia for Pennsylvania and New Jersey, 22d Ninth Month, 1759. To the Quarterly and Monthly Meetings of Friends belonging to the said Yearly Meeting. Small folio, pp. 3, TOTALLY UNCUT. [Philadelphia: B. Franklin and D. Hall, 1759]

An Epistle referring to INDIAN BARBARITIES ON THE WESTERN FRONTIERS during THE FRENCH AND INDIAN WAR.

"But now of late, these calamities have reached our Borders; many of our fellow subjects have suffered on our Frontiers, some have been slain in Battle, some killed in their Houses and some in their Fields, some wounded and left in great misery and some others separated from their Wives and little children, who have been carried CAPTIVES AMONG THE INDIANS", etc.

FRANKLIN IMPRINTS. See also under NEW JERSEY AND PENNSYLVANIA LAWS, No. 397.

- 262 **FREEMASONRY.** ANTI-MASONIC. The Antichristian and Antisocial Conspiracy, . . . or, An Authentic Key to the Door of Free-Masonry, Ancient and Modern. 8vo, original boards (covers loose and back strip chipped—blank corners of some leaves gnawed, though nowhere near text), TOTALLY UNCUT.

Lancaster, (Pa.): Printed by Joseph Ehrenfried, 1812

THE BOOK FROM WHICH WILLIAM MORGAN TOOK HIS FAMOUS "Illustrations of Masonry", the publication of which cost him his life. An "infamous book, unquestionably the original from which Morgan drew his mendacious exposition fourteen years later"—*Rob Morris, Grand Master*. ORIGINAL AND ONLY EDITION, AND VERY RARE. Lacking in the BRINLEY and DE PUY COLLECTIONS of Anti-Masonic books. Apparently, the first copy offered at auction. Presentation inscription on title.

- 263 **FREEMASONRY.** ANTI-MASONIC. [Ward (H. D.).] Free Masonry. Its Pretensions Exposed in faithful extracts of its Standard Authors; with a Review of Town's Speculative Masonry, etc. *Frontispiece*. 8vo, original boards, uncut. New York, 1828

With account of THE ABDUCTION OF MORGAN, etc.

- 264 **FREEMASONRY.** ANTI-MASONIC. Bernard (David). Light on Masonry: embracing the Reports of the Western Committees in relation to the Abduction of William Morgan, Proceedings of Conventions, Orations, etc.; with all the Degrees as written by Morgan, etc. *Portrait and plate*. 12mo, old sheep (few pages discolored). Utica, (N. Y.), 1829

ORIGINAL EDITION.

- 265 **FREEMASONRY.** ANTI-MASONIC. A Brief Sketch of a Number of Masonic Murders!! (Morgan, Miller, Pritchard, Liv-

ingston, Smith and others.) 8vo, sewn (somewhat time-discolored). [Baltimore? ca. 1830]

EXTREMELY RARE ANTI-MASONIC PAMPHLET, thought to have been bought up largely at the time by members of the fraternity and destroyed. UNKNOWN TO SABIN, GOWANS AND OTHERS. Large, crisp, UNCUT COPY.

- 266 **FREEMASONRY.** ANTI-MASONIC. Free Masonry: A Poem; with (prose) Notes and a Brief Sketch of THE ABDUCTION OF CAPT. MORGAN and of the Present Prospects of Anti-Masonry in Various Sections of the Union. 12mo, sheep (joint split and text discolored). Leicester, (Mass.), 1830

FIRST EDITION. Scarce.

- 267 **FREEMASONRY.** ANTI-MASONIC. Ritner (Joseph—Governor of Pennsylvania). Vindication of General Washington from the Stigma of Adherence to Secret Societies. Communicated by request of the House of Representatives, to that body, March 9, 1837, with the Proceedings which took place on its reception. 8vo, sewn. Philadelphia, 1837

RARE ANTI-MASONIC PAMPHLET.

- 268 **FREEMASONRY.** ANTI-MASONIC. Downfall of Freemasonry, An Authentic History of the Rise, Progress and Triumph of Anti-Masonry . . . with an Account of the Travels, Dangers, Attacks and Escapes of the Governor from the Cut-Throats of the Lodge. With Notes and Explanations, all carefully revised by Punkin's shorthander, worked by steam from Blubberlips. By Jonathan Punkin, E. P., S. P., C. C., (etc.). Small 8vo, half roan (back a little chipped and somewhat loose).

N. p.: Pub. for the Editor, near the Council Chamber's Unction Room, 1838

With 25 full-page humorous illustrations and 2 etched plates. Rare. Unknown to Sabin, Brinley, etc.

- 269 **FREEMASONRY.** Harris (T. M.). Constitutions of the Ancient and Honorable Fraternity of Free and Accepted Masons . . . with the History and General Regulations of the Grand Lodge of Massachusetts. Second Edition, with Large Additions. Engraved frontispiece. Small 4to, old sheep (some leaves discolored in places). Worcester: Isaiah Thomas, 1798

PAUL REVERE was one of the committee appointed to examine and approve of this work. This issue contains a LARGE AMOUNT OF LOCAL HISTORICAL MATTER not in the previous edition. MS. notes in some margins. RARE.

- 270 **FREEMASONRY.** Town (Salem). A System of Speculative Masonry; being a Course of Lectures before the Grand Chapter of New York, in the City of Albany. 12mo, old sheep (text a little discolored). Salem, N. Y., 1818

- 271 **FUÑES (G.).** Ensayo de la Historia Civil del Paraguay, Buenos-Ayres y Tucuman, escrito por el Doctor D. Gregorio Fuñes, Dean de la Santa Iglesia Catedral de Cordova. 3 vols., small 4to, half calf (small strip cut from blank margins of titles).

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- 272 **FURMAN (GABRIEL).** Notes, Geographical and Historical, relating to the TOWN OF BROOKLYN, in Kings County, on Long-Island. 12mo, cloth (name on title).

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- 273 **GARFIELD ASSASSINATION.** Guiteau's Crime. The Full History of the Murder of President James A. Garfield; with Secret Biography of the Assassin. *Full-page illustrations.* 8vo, printed wrappers. New York, [1881]

- 274 **GENERAL ORDERS, U. S. ARMY.** Various, 1820-1864. About 200 pieces, small 8vo, 1 to several pages each.

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All ORIGINAL ISSUES, locally printed on note paper, etc., and many of them autographed by GEN. IRVIN McDOWELL and others. Includes some 80 pieces issued by the Army of Occupation at New Orleans during the Civil War.

- 275 **GEORGIA.** Whitefield (George). A Continuation of the Rev. Mr. Whitefield's Journal, from his arrival at Savannah, to his Return to London. 8vo, boards, uncut. London, 1739

LETTER FROM THE GOVERNOR OF GEORGIA TO THE GOVERNOR OF ALABAMA, REGARDING THE PROPOSED GEORGIA—ALABAMA BOUNDARY

- 276 **GEORGIA.** Letter, signed, of Gov. GEORGE M. TROUP, of Georgia, 3 pp., 4to, 8th December, 1826. To Gov. JOHN MURPHY, OF ALABAMA.

IMPORTANT LETTER, announcing that "the Legislature of Georgia has this day given its sanction to the Act of our Commissioners", regarding the proposed boundary line. . . . "Suffer me to entreat your Excellency not to permit as far as depends on you a controversy to be opened, which is the more likely to prove interminable, not merely because it is a controversy of Boundary, but because according to my best judgment, Georgia will never be satisfied with any construction of the Articles, different from that now adopted", etc.

277 GEORGIA. Mathers (William). The Rise, Progress and Downfall of Aristocracy, (etc.). Small 8vo, original boards (joint loose and back chipped).

Wheeling, (Va.): Printed by W. Cooper Howells, 1831

Relates in part to THE CHEROKEES AND THEIR RELATIONS WITH THE STATE OF GEORGIA. The printer of this book was the father of the novelist, WM. DEAN HOWELLS. Rare.

GEORGIA. See also under COLUMBIAN MAGAZINE.

278 GEORGIA-MISSISSIPPI TERRITORY. Message from the President, accompanying certain Articles of Agreement and Session, entered into and signed by the commissioners of the United States and the state of Georgia. 8vo, sewn, pp. 11 (corner torn from last leaf affecting text). [Washington, 1802]

279 GEORGIA-MISSISSIPPI TERRITORY. Report of the Committee to whom was referred the Bill from the Senate, entitled "An Act providing for the Indemnification of certain Claimants of Lands in the Mississippi Territory." 8vo, sewn, pp. 29.

Washington, 1814

280 GERMANS IN AMERICA. Löher (Franz). Geschichte und Zustände der Deutschen in Amerika. 8vo, half sheep (slightly rubbed). Cincinnati: Eggers and Wulkop, 1847

An historical account of the German pioneers in various parts of the United States, etc., including Illinois, Missouri, Georgia, Louisiana, Florida, Wisconsin, Iowa, Oregon, California, etc. prior to 1847. VERY SCARCE.

281 GIROD (AMURY). Notes Diverses sur le Bas-Canada. Royal 8vo, sewn, uncut, pp. 63.

Village Debartzeh: J. J. Boucher-Belleville, 1835

Dedicated, "Aux défenseurs des libertés populaires dans les Communes de la Grande-Bretagne, et particulièrement à Daniel O'Connell, Joseph Hume et Arthur Roebuck.

A particularly rare pamphlet, of which Lee's check-list mentions only a variation, probably a second issue.

282 GREENE (MARY). Life, Three Sermons, and Some of the Miscellaneous writings of Rev. Jesse Greene, a Presiding Elder in the St. Louis Conference. *Portrait.* 12mo (covers stained).

Lexington, Mo.: Patterson and Julian, 1852

A scarce Missouri imprint, with a description written on the ground from Independence, Mo., Dec. 11, 1838, of the expulsion of the Mormons from Missouri.

283 HABEAS CORPUS PAMPHLETS. A Collection of 20 Pamphlets discussing the legality of the suspension of the writ of Habeas Corpus by PRESIDENT LINCOLN during the Civil War. 20 pieces in one vol., 8vo, sheep (joints cracking).

Philadelphia, 1862

- 284 HALL (SAMUEL R.). Lectures on School-Keeping. 12mo,
original boards, uncut. Boston, 1829

The author organized the first school in the United States for the training of teachers, and the above was the first book on the subject ever issued in the country.

- 285 HARPER (HARRIET). Letters from California. 8vo, wrappers. [Portland]: Printed for Private Circulation, n. d. [1888]

- 286 HARRINGTON (GARDINER). A Short Epitome of the Life, Sufferings and Travels of Gardiner Harrington of Stephentown, Rensselaer Co., New York. 16mo, wrappers, pp. 51.
Pittsfield, 1849

A rare little volume, of which we are unable to find any record of sale. Not in De Puy or Samson collections.

- 287 HARRISON (WILLIAM HENRY). BROADSIDE. Inaugural Address of President Harrison. National Intelligencer . . . Extra. March 4, 1841. Folio. [Washington, 1841]

ORIGINAL EDITION, endorsed as having been received in Philadelphia at "7.10 PM." the same day.

- 288 HARVEY (REV. M.). Across Newfoundland with the Governor: A Visit to Our Mining Region. 8vo, wrappers.
Newfoundland: Morning Chronicle Print, 1879

Presentation copy to Prof. Elliott from the author, of a scarce privately printed mining pamphlet.

- 288A HUGUENOT PSALTER. Les Pseaumes mis en Rime Françoise. Par Clément Marot & Théodore de Bèze. With music. Thick 18mo, half calf, red edges (few lines shaved).
A Delf: Par Bruyn H. Schinckel, l'an 1602

Rare Edition, with Catechism, Articles of Faith, etc.

- 289 HUTCHINSON (THOMAS). The History of the Colony of Massachusetts-Bay, from the First Settlement in 1628 until its incorporation in 1691. 8vo, old calf. Boston, 1764

SECOND SESSION

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ORIGINAL EDITION OF THE FIRST SECTIONAL MAP
OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS

- 290 ILLINOIS. A New Map of Illinois and part of the Wisconsin Territory. By J. M. Peck and J. Messinger. *Engraved by Doolittle and Munson, Cincinnati.* COLORED. 13 x 18 inches, folded into an 18mo green and gilt roan pocket-case.

Cincinnati: Doolittle and Munson, [1835]

ORIGINAL EDITION OF THE FIRST SECTIONAL MAP OF ILLINOIS, copyrighted in Illinois, 1835. With inset ENGRAVED VIEW OF THE ILLINOIS COLLEGE, at Jacksonville.

PRESERNTATION COPY to R. Tyndale from J. Mitchell, dated "Belleville, 8 March, 1837". AN INTERESTING COPY, with manuscript notes by Mr. Mitchell relating to THE PROPOSED RAIL ROAD LINES in various parts of the state, to LOUISVILLE, ST. LOUIS, etc., which he delineates on the map in manuscript.

Mr. Buck, in advertting to the re-issue of this map in Colton's "Traveller's Directory", (New York, 1839), refers to it as "probably the first sectional map of the state". This issue, which was printed separately and without any accompanying text, was unknown to Buck and others, and is VERY RARE.

- 291 ILLINOIS. Map of the States of Ohio, Indiana and Illinois, with the settled parts of Michigan, (showing Steam Boat Routes, etc.) 17 $\frac{1}{4}$ x 21 $\frac{1}{2}$ inches, folded into 12mo, roan case.

Philadelphia: A. Mitchell, 1837

- 292 ILLINOIS. Beecher (Edward). Narrative of the Riots at Alton: in connection with the death of the Rev. Elijah P. Lovejoy (Proto-Martyr of the Freedom of the Press in Ill.). 12mo, cloth. Alton: Holton, 1838

- 293 ILLINOIS. Bellangee (Jas.). Journal and Essays on Religious Subjects. 12mo, cloth. Bordentown, N. J., 1854

The author's Journal includes his travels in Illinois in 1838, where he lived till his death.

- 294 ILLINOIS. Baldwin (E.). History of La Salle County . . . and Sketch of the Pioneer Settlers of each Town to 1840. *Fron-*
tispiece and 4 maps. 8vo, cloth (covers a little rubbed).

Chicago, 1877

TRUE NARRATIVE
OF THE
SUFFERINGS
OF
MARY KINNAN,

WHO WAS TAKEN PRISONER BY THE SHAWANEE
NATION OF INDIANS ON THE THIRTEENTH
DAY OF MAY, 1791, AND REMAIN-
ED WITH THEM TILL THE
SIXTEENTH OF AUG.

1794.

NEW HAVEN:
PRINTED BY WILLIAM W. MORSE.

1801.

A HITHERTO UNKNOWN EDITION OF THE MARY KINNAN CAPTIVITY
[NUMBER 298]

- 295 **INDIANA TERRITORY.** An Act of the Legislative Council and House of Representatives of the Indiana Territory, entitled "An Act reorganizing Courts of Justice", etc. 8vo, sewn, 9 pp. Washington, 1814
- 296 **INDIANA.** Epistle to Friends within the Compass of Ohio and Indiana Yearly Meeting. 8vo, sewn, uncut (time-discolored). Philadelphia: Printed by J. Parker, 1828
- 297 **INDIANS.** [Walton (William).] A Narrative of the Captivity and Sufferings of Benjamin Gilbert and his Family, who were surprised by the Indians, and taken from their Farms, on the Frontiers of Pennsylvania. In the Spring, 1780. 12mo, sewn (name clipped from blank margin of title). Philadelphia: London: James Phillips, 1790
- 298 **INDIANS.** Kinnan (Mary). A True Narrative of the Sufferings of Mary Kinnan, who was taken prisoner by the Shawnee Nation of Indians, on the Thirteenth Day of May, 1791, and remained with them till the Sixteenth of Aug., 1794. 8vo, contemporary wrappers, pp. 12. New Haven: Printed by William W. Morse, 1801
VERY RARE. This edition appears to have escaped all bibliographers. Unknown to Sabin, Field, Ayer and others.
[SEE ILLUSTRATION]
- 299 **INDIANS.** [Burghardt (C. F.).] The Gospels according to St. Matthew, St. Mark, St. Luke and St. John, translated into the language of the Esquimaux Indians, on the Coast of Laborador; by the Missionaries of the Unitas Fratrum. 12mo, old calf. London, 1813
With two pages of manuscript additions in the Esquimaux language.
- 300 **INDIANS.** Report . . . on the Petition of John G. Cunow. 8vo, sewn. Washington, 1814
Unfavorable report on the destruction of the Indian Village, at Fairfield (Moravian Town), by Gen. Harrison in the War of 1812.
- 301 **INDIANS.** The American Missionary Register. Edited by Zachariah Lewis. Vol. 1, July, 1820, to Vol. 6, Oct., 1825, *with title-pages and Indexes—All published* (lacking No. 9, of Vol. 5, 1824, and No. 5, of Vol. 6, 1825). 6 vols. in 5, 8vo, half roan (some numbers in first two vols. misbound—some leaves time-discolored). New York, 1820-25

Contains a VAST AMOUNT OF THE MOST INTERESTING ORIGINAL HISTORICAL MATERIAL relating to early Missions to the various INDIAN TRIBES OF THE UNITED STATES, particularly in the FAR WEST AND SOUTH (Nebraska, Iowa, Missouri, Arkansas, Illinois, Indiana, Georgia, Alabama, etc., etc.)—the Sandwich Islands and other islands of the Pacific, Canada, etc. With COPIOUS EXTRACTS FROM THE DAILY JOURNALS KEPT AT THE VARIOUS

MISSIONS, hundreds of Letters from Missionaries, Speeches, Documents relating to the Indians, etc., etc. Includes also an original JOURNAL OF AN EXPLORING TOUR, by the Rev. Salmon Giddings, of St. Louis, among THE INDIANS OF MISSOURI, IOWA, NEBRASKA, etc., in 1822, and JOURNAL OF THE TRAVELS of the Rev. Mr. Pixley, among the Tribes of MISSOURI, ARKANSAS, etc., 1822. Doubtless but a very small part of this material is to be found anywhere else in print. Unknown to Sabin, Field and others, and VERY RARE.

- 302 INDIANS. The United Brethren's Missionary Intelligencer and Religious Magazine. Vol. 1, Nos. 1-12, 1822-24, with title-page and Index. [All published?] 8vo, half calf.
Philadelphia, 1822-24

VERY RARE. The 5th and 6th numbers are designated "Vol. 2", though from the 7th on, "Vol. 1" is resumed. Includes extracts from the Journals of the Missions among the Indians at SPRING-PLACE, NORTH CAROLINA, and at NEW FAIRFIELD (Moravian Town), UPPER CANADA (1821-22); with accounts of these missions, reports, letters from the missionaries, etc., and a large amount of material relating to missions in other places, Greenland, the West Indies, South America, etc.; also a biographical sketch, to 1822, of the venerable J. G. HECKEWELDER, dictated by himself, shortly before his death, with other biographies, etc.

- 303 IOWA. [Printed] Letter of thanks to a subscriber to the fund for building an Episcopalian Church at FORT DES MOINES. Signed by Thos. Case and others. 8vo leaflet.

[Fort Des Moines:] Jan. 19, 1857

- 304 IOWA. Executive Journal of Iowa, 1838-1841. Governor Robert Lucas. Edited by B. F. Shambaugh. Large 8vo, cloth, uncut.
Iowa City: State Hist. Soc., 1906

Now first printed from the Original Manuscript, recently discovered, with Introduction, Index, etc. This manuscript was long sought for by historians of the section.

- 305 IRON INDUSTRY IN AMERICA. Alexander (J. H.). Report on the Manufacture of Iron; addressed to the Governor of Maryland. 3 plates. 8vo, half morocco.
Annapolis: McNeir, 1840

Includes a treatise on the history of Iron Manufacture, from the earliest times; with researches into its manufacture in Maryland. SCARCE.

- 306 JACKSON (ANDREW). Address of the Committee appointed by a Republican Meeting in the County of Hunterdon, recommending Gen. Andrew Jackson, of Tennessee, to the people of New-Jersey as President. 8vo, sewn (small hole in last leaf), 24 pp.
Trenton, Sept., 1824

- 307 JACKSON (ANDREW). Proceedings and Address of the New-Jersey State Convention, at Trenton, Jan. 8, 1828, which nominated Andrew Jackson for President, etc. 8vo, sewn (somewhat time-disclosed).
Trenton, 1828

308 **JACKSON (ANDREW).** The Case of the Six Big Mutineers whose conviction and sentence were approved by General Jackson, fairly stated with a refutation of some of the falsehoods circulated on this subject. 8vo, sewn, uncut. Albany, 1828

A rare item on the Cherokee War, including the Blount-Gaines-Armstrong correspondence on the subject.

309 **JACKSON (ANDREW).** The Complaint of Liberty. By Jehu Aminadab Goitjerry Smith, Esq. 8vo, sewn (somewhat discolored). Philadelphia : Greenbank, 1834

A scurrilous poem on PRESIDENT JACKSON and his administration, and dedicated to him thus:—"To General Andrew Jackson, President of the United States, Doctor of Laws, Patron of Virtue, Liberty, Independence, Literature, The Indians, The Bank, &c. &c. &c." RARE.

310 **JOURNAL (MANUSCRIPT) OF THE VOYAGE** of the French Corvette (SLOOP OF WAR), *Les Deux Jacques*, Captain Jean Christophe Sicard, from Marseilles, France, to Philadelphia, 1792-1793. Covering 296 pages, folio, and bound in old yellow limp boards. Dated, 1792-93.

Captain Sicard left Marseilles on Tuesday, October 8, 1792 and arrived at Philadelphia, Saturday, February 23, 1793. The date of this voyage is interesting, as CITIZEN GENET arrived in the United States only a few weeks afterwards. Obtained many years ago from Sicard's Estate.

311 **JUVENILES, EARLY AMERICAN.** Complete set of the fifty Juveniles issued by the American Sunday School Union for the use of children, about 1835-1840. 40 vols., 18mo, boards.

Philadelphia, n. d.

A series of chap-books or tracts, each volume containing several titles. All in exceptionally fine condition. Among the titles are History of Birds; Four Seasons; World on Stilts; Cut Behind; Idle Dick; etc., etc.

312 **KENTUCKY.** Case of (W. L.) Maccala against (James) Blythe, Tried before the Synod of Kentucky, in September, 1814. 8vo, sewn. Chillicothe, (Ohio) : Printed by James Barnes, 1814

The allegations against Mr. B. were many and varied, among them being a shady real-estate transaction and an accusation of pride, on account of his "paying \$200. per year for two of his children to be taught music on the piano-forte", etc. McCalal was an EARLY TEXAS PIONEER.

313 **KENTUCKY LAWS.** Acts passed at the 37th General Assembly, . . . begun and held at Frankfort, Dec. 1, 1828. Small 8vo, boards (somewhat time-discolored). Frankfort, 1829

314 **KNOW NOTHINGS.** Americans, Both Native and Adopted, Be on Your Guard! "and indignantly frown upon the first dawn-ing of every attempt to alienate any portion of our country from the rest", etc. 8vo, sewn (somewhat discolored).

Philadelphia, 1838

- 315 **KNOW NOTHINGS.** American Eagle—Extra. Next Governor—Roman Catholic Priest's Letter—Henry Clay on Catholicism, etc. 8vo, sewn, pp. 8. N. p., [ca. 1844]
- 316 **KNOW NOTHINGS.** Address to the People of the State of New York, by the General Executive Committee of the American Republican Party of New York City. 8vo, sewn. New York, 1844
- 317 **KNOW NOTHINGS.** Address of the Catholic Lay Citizens of Philadelphia, to their Fellow-Citizens, in reply to the presentment of the Grand Jury . . . in regard to the causes of the late Riots in Philadelphia. 8vo, sewn. Philadelphia, 1844
- 318 **KNOW NOTHINGS.** The Crisis. An Appeal to our Countrymen, on the subject of Foreign Influence in the U. S. 8vo, sewn, pp. 80. New York, 1844
Issued by the American Republican Party of New York.
- 319 **KNOW NOTHINGS.** Graphic Account of the Alarming Riots at St. Mary's Church, in April of 1822, with Letters of J. R. Ingersoll, etc. 8vo, sewn. [Philadelphia(?)], 1844
- 320 **KNOW NOTHINGS.** Six Months Ago, or The Eventful Friday, and its Consequences. An Epic Poem. By R. . . . 12mo, printed wrapper (back cover missing). Philadelphia: McElroy, 1844
- 321 **KNOW NOTHINGS.** A True Statement of the First Fire on Sunday Evening, July 7, 1844 (Kensington Riots). 8vo, sewn. Philadelphia, 1844
- 322 **KNOW NOTHINGS.** Native [American] Almanac. 1846. 12mo, wrapper (faint stamp on p. 1). Philadelphia, 1845
- 323 **KNOW NOTHINGS.** Proceedings of the Native American State Conventions, at Harrisburg, Pa., Feb. 1845 and 1847; with Address of the Delegates, 1845. 3 pamphlets, 8vo, sewn. Philadelphia, 1845-47
- 324 **KNOW NOTHINGS.** Circular (sent out by The American Protestant Society, giving a history of the "A. P. A." movement from its inception in 1836). 8vo, sewn, pp. 16. [New York, 1847]
- 325 **KNOW NOTHINGS.** The Wide-Awake Gift: A Know Nothing Token for 1855. Plates. 12mo, cloth. New York, 1855

326 LAPHAM (I. A.). A Documentary History of the Milwaukee and Rock River Canal, compiled and published by order of the Board of Directors of the Milwaukee and Rock River Canal Company. 8vo, sewn, pp. 151 and index (4 pp. in photostat).

Milwaukee; Printed at the Office of the Advertiser, 1840

The first publication on uniting the waters of Lake Michigan with those of Rock River, started the first year after the settlement of Milwaukee. Of great rarity. No perfect copy has been recorded as sold.

327 LATTA (JAMES). A Discourse of Psalmody. Fourth edition, with Additions. 8vo, sewn. Philadelphia, 1801

LAWNS, SESSION ACTS, ETC. See under NEW JERSEY AND PENNSYLVANIA LAWS; ARKANSAS; DELAWARE; KENTUCKY; MISSISSIPPI TERRITORY, etc.

328 LEWIS AND CLARK EXPEDITION. Clark (William). Letter from Captain William Clark to his brother, General George Rogers Clark, dated at St. Louis, (Mo.) 23 September, 1806, announcing his return from THE PACIFIC COAST in a long and circumstantial Narrative (covering 5 columns, 4to, closely printed), in which he summarizes the events of his long journey, with the routes pursued, observations on the countries traversed, etc., etc. [Evening Fire-Side, Vol. 11, No. 45, for Nov. 8, 1806.] 4to, sewn, 4 leaves. Philadelphia: Jos. Rakestraw, 1806

The earliest publication of this letter known to Mr. Wagner was in Lester's spurious edition of Lewis and Clark's Travels, printed in Philadelphia in 1809. In reference to it and to Clark's previous letter dated at Fort Mandan, he says:—"I have made some efforts to discover, if or where, these letters had been previously printed, but without success". As here published, the letter is preceded by a short introduction, dated Frankfort, Ky., Oct. 9, [1806], which concludes as follows:—"By the mail this morning, we have received from an obliging friend, the following letter from Capt. Clark to his brother general Clark, near Louisville. Capt. Clark did not perhaps intend it for publication, but to gratify the impatient wishes of his countrymen, the general was prevailed upon to permit its appearance in our paper of to-day".

The *Fire-Side* was a very short-lived paper, suspending on Dec. 27, 1806, only a few numbers beyond the one here offered. VERY RARE.

329 LEWIS AND CLARK EXPEDITION. Biddle (Nicholas). Oration before the Pennsylvania Society of the Cincinnati, 4th July, 1811. 8vo, sewn (few pp. carelessly opened), uncut.

Philadelphia: Conrad, 1811

"The desert is now everywhere reeding before our persevering industry. . . . and the tide of population, scorning its narrow limits, has burst over the Alleghany and rolled its torrent westward; till now the American hunter has built his cabin *three thousand miles from the Atlantic*, on whose desert coast his ancestors so lately found a precarious refuge." Biddle, at this time, was working on the LEWIS AND CLARK MANUSCRIPTS, from which his narrative of the expedition was shortly to be published. Autograph of R. P. Dunlap, Governor of Maine, on title.

- 330 LINCOLN (ABRAHAM). The War with Mexico. Speech of Mr. A. Lincoln, of Illinois, In the House of Representatives, Jan. 12, 1848. [Appendix to the Congressional Globe, New Series, No. 6, for Jan. 13, 1848.] 4to, sewn. [Washington, 1848]

THE EARLIEST OF MR. LINCOLN'S PRINTED SPEECHES IN CONGRESS,
delivered during his first Congressional Session.

- 331 LINCOLN (ABRAHAM). Internal Improvements. Speech of Mr. A. Lincoln, of Illinois, in the House of Representatives, June 20, 1848 . . . on the Civil and Diplomatic Appropriation Bill, etc. [Appendix to the Congressional Globe, New Series, No. 45, for June 27, 1848.] 4to, sewn. [Washington, 1848]

- 332 LINCOLN (ABRAHAM). The Presidential Question. Speech of Mr. A. Lincoln, of Illinois, In the House of Representatives, July 27, 1848. [Appendix to the Congressional Globe, New Series, No. 66, for July 29, 1848.] 4to, sewn. [Washington, 1848]

See catalogue of the Burton Collection, No. 626, sold Oct. 25, 1915.

- 333 LINCOLN (ABRAHAM). The Wide Awake Songster. *Cut on title.* 32mo, original printed wrappers (slight discolorations on some leaves). Philadelphia: (Printed) by King & Baird, 1860

The official CAMPAIGN SONGSTER of the "Wide Awake Club", a political association organized by A. K. McClure to secure the election of PRESIDENT LINCOLN. VERY RARE.

- 334 LINCOLN (ABRAHAM). Jermon (J. Wagner, Esq.). Abram Lincoln and South Carolina. 8vo, sewn.
Philadelphia: D. E. Thompson, Printer, 1861
RARE.

- 335 LINCOLN (ABRAHAM). A set of contemporary comic envelopes, showing Lincoln and Jeff Davis in a prize fight in 5 rounds. In the 2nd round, Lincoln snatches the seat out of Davis's trousers. The five pieces complete. New York, 1861

- 336 LINCOLN (ABRAHAM). Message to the Senate and House of Representatives, July 4, 1861. 8vo, sewn, uncut and mainly unopened, pp. 15. [Washington, 1861]

- 337 LINCOLN (ABRAHAM). The Record of Hon. C. L. Vallandigham on Abolition, the Union and the Civil War. [Speeches and other papers, 1846-63]. *Portrait.* 8vo, original printed wrappers. Cincinnati: J. Walter & Co., 1863

VERY RARE. SUPPRESSED shortly after publication in consequence of Gen. Burnside's order for "the suppression of treasonable speech and conduct", at which time the author was himself arrested and sent across the lines into the CONFEDERACY. The publisher also found it convenient to leave Ohio, for we discover him a few months later bringing out a subsequent edition in NEW YORK CITY. Clean and crisp copy, in the original wrappers. Unknown to Thomson.

- 338 **LINCOLN (ABRAHAM).** The Standard-Phonographic Visitor. Edited by A. J. Graham. Vol. 1, Nos. 1 to 7, Aug., 1863-May, 1865. 12mo, original cloth. New York, 1863-65
A notice of the Assassination of President Lincoln in phonetic spelling appears in the May number, 1865.
- 339 **LINCOLN (ABRAHAM).** Message to the Senate and House of Representatives, December 6, 1864. 8vo, sewn, pp. 14. [Washington, 1864]
- 340 **LINCOLN (ABRAHAM).** Grasty (J. S.). Memoir of Rev. Samuel B. McPheeters. *Portrait.* 12mo, cloth. St. Louis, 1871
Includes an *interview* with President Lincoln, a letter from him, etc. McPheeters was banished from Missouri for having baptized a child with the name of "Sterling Price".
- 341 [**LINCOLN (ABRAHAM).**] Wilson (W. B.). A Few Acts and Actors in the Tragedy of the Civil War. Square 8vo, half red levant, gilt top, uncut. Philadelphia: For the Author, 1892
PRESENTATION COPY ("the third as it issued from the press"), from THE AUTHOR, with long signed inscription.
- 342 **LINCOLN (ABRAHAM).** Wills (David). Document, signed, 1 p., small folio, being a Statement of facts concerning the composition, etc., of PRESIDENT LINCOLN'S FAMOUS "GETTYSBURG ADDRESS".
Wills was president of the Soldiers' National Cemetery Ass'n, [1863]. It was on his invitation that President Lincoln came to deliver the Address and it was in his own residence at Gettysburg, where Mr. Lincoln was a guest during his stay in town, that the immortal lines were penned the night before the celebration. Valuable for insertion purposes
- 343 **LINCOLN (LEVI).** Report on the Contract with John C. Symmes (of the various and numerous transactions respecting the sale or the contracts for THE MIAMI LANDS). 8vo, sewn, uncut, pp. 24. Philadelphia, 1803
An important document on the land titles in the Northwestern Territory, with an account of costs per acre, surveys, titles, etc.
- 344 **LIND'S (JENNY) WESTERN TOUR, 1851.** A. L. s. of Margarette Maccoun, 3 pp., 4to. Coal Grove, (Ohio), April 29, 1851.
Refers in part to JENNY LIND'S FIRST APPEARANCE IN CINCINNATI and the unpopularity of her manager there, the famous P. T. BARNUM, relating how Barnum was hissed and otherwise mistreated on coming before the audience:—"somebody said, 'give him a bouquet', and down came an awful old boot on the stage within a foot of Barnum's head, which caused him to travel", etc.

345 [LOCKE (D. R.).] The Nasby Papers. By Petroleum V. Nasby. 8vo, sewn, uncut at lower edge.
Indianapolis: Perrine, 1864

FIRST EDITION OF THE AUTHOR'S FIRST BOOK. VERY SCARCE. Includes an interview with LINCOLN.

346 LONG ISLAND. Buell (Samuel). A Faithful Narrative of the Remarkable Revival of Religion in the Congregation of East-Hampton, on Long Island, Part of the South Division of New-York, In the Year of our Lord, 1764. With some Remarks. 12mo, sewn (somewhat spotted), pp. (2), (2), 68.

Glasgow: Printed by John Bryce, 1768

THE VERY RARE SECOND EDITION, of which no copy is located by Sabin, and no pagination is given. This copy is quite complete, containing the half-title and the printer's list of books at the end, two pages, which are included in the pagination.

347 LOUISIANA. An Act to incorporate the City Bank of New-Orleans. Approved Mch. 3, 1831. 12mo, paper.

New-Orleans: Printed by Gaston Brusle, 1832

348 LOUISIANA. An Act to incorporate the New Orleans Gas Light and Banking Co., passed at the first session of 12th Legislature of Louisiana. 8vo, paper. Philadelphia, 1835

349 LOUISIANA. Watts (Charles). A Discourse on the Life and Character of the Hon. George Mathews, late presiding Judge of the Supreme Court of Louisiana. 8vo, printed wrappers.

New-Orleans: Printed by B. Levy, 1837

350 LOUISIANA. Claiborne (J. F. H.—Author and Journalist). A. L. s., 2½ pp., 4to, New Orleans, May 6, 1851.

Fine letter, offering his services to W. D. Lewis and reminding him of the great kindness Mr. L. had shown him while the writer was in a debtors' prison at Baltimore, many years before.

351 MACKENNA (BENJAMIN VICUNA). Pajinas de mi Diario durante Tres Años de Viajes, 1853-1854-1855. California, Mejieo, Estados Unidos, etc. *Folding Map*. Square 8vo, half calf (rubbed). Santiago, 1856

AN UNKNOWN CALIFORNIA DIARY OF CONSIDERABLE IMPORTANCE. Autograph presentation copy from the author.

[SEE ILLUSTRATION]

352 MAP OF THE UNITED STATES, 1835. Mitchell's Reference and Distance Map of the U. S. (showing every County, Township, Parish, Hundred, etc., in the U. S., including those

PÁGINAS DE MI DIARIO
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1856.

AN UNKNOWN CALIFORNIA DIARY
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organized since the Census of 1830). *Colored.* About 54 x 68 inches. Backed with linen and folded into a 4to half roan case, with label.
Philadelphia, 1835

With inset maps of contiguous British and Mexican Possessions, including Oregon, California; Part of Florida, etc.; the cities of Albany, Washington, Charleston, Cincinnati, New Orleans, Rochester, Boston, New York, etc. "The first map to show the Townships of the State of Indiana."

- 353 MAPS. Anthony Finley's American Atlas, [1827]. Maps of Illinois, Indiana, part of Michigan, Louisiana, Mississippi, Florida, Missouri and Arkansas Territory, Georgia, etc. *14 large maps* (should be 15; Virginia and Maryland missing). Folio, folded into square small 8vo red roan case, with flap (ripped at joints).
Philadelphia: A. Finley, 1827

Includes SEVERAL VERY SCARCE AND EARLY WESTERN AND SOUTHERN MAPS, ALL IN COLORS.

- 354 MAPS. A Folio Volume of Maps, to accompany the Report of the Commissioner of the (U. S.) General Land office, Oct. 2, 1866. *23 large folding maps, colored and mounted on linen.* Folio, half morocco (somewhat rubbed).
[Washington, 1866]

Includes maps of Washington Territory, Oregon, California, Nevada, Utah, New Mexico and Arizona, Kansas and Nebraska, Colorado, Iowa, Florida, etc. Shows Military Bounty Tracts and other delineations, notes as to location of coal beds, minerals, springs, etc., etc. Scarce.

- 355 MARYLAND. An Act to incorporate the Stockholders of the Mechanics' Bank of Baltimore, with the several supplements, and the several acts relating to the Banks of this State. 12mo, paper.
Baltimore, 1821

- 356 MERKLEY (CHRISTOPHER). Biography of, written by himself. 8vo, original printed wrappers, pp. 46.
Salt Lake City, 1887

Crossed the plains in 1848 to Fort Kearney; took part in the Gold Rush of 1849; assisted the Surveyor-General to establish the boundary line between Utah and California; etc.

- 357 MERRILL (REV. MOSES). A Memorial for Rev. Moses Merrill and his wife Eliza (Wilcox) Merrill, Missionaries to the Otoes in Indian Territory (now Nebraska) at Bellevue and the Platte River, six miles from its mouth, from 1833 to 1840. [By their Son, Rev. S. P. Merrill.] 8vo, wrappers, pp. 10.
N. p.: Privately Printed, [n. d.]

With A. L. s. of the author presenting this copy. This record of hardships, losses, dangers and narrow escapes gives reasons enough for the quick termination of the mission by the death of its leader, Mr. Merrill (in 1840). Apparently the only record of this mission.

- 358 **MICHIGAN.** Memoirs of the Life of Nathaniel Stacy: (Including Description of his Travels in Michigan, Ohio, Indiana and Western New York, 1834, etc.) *Portrait.* 12mo, cloth.
Columbus, Pa., 1850
- 359 **MIDDLETON-McCALL SCANDAL.** Paper Book. In the matter of the Petition of (Lieut.) Edward Middleton (U. S. N.) to the Gen'l Assembly of Pennsylvania, for a divorce from his wife (for the cause of Adultery—the evidence against her, etc.) 12mo, sewn.
Philadelphia, 1850
- 360 **MILLS (ROBERT).** The American Pharos, or Light-House Guide; also a General View of the Coast from the St. Lawrence to the Sabine. [The appendix contains an account of the light-houses on the Gulf of Mexico.] 8vo, boards.
Washington, 1832
The earliest description of the light-houses on the sea-coast of Florida, Georgia, Alabama, Louisiana. No copy offered in many years.
- 361 **MIRANDA'S SOUTH AMERICAN EXPEDITION.** The Trial of Wm. S. Smith and Sam'l G. Ogden for Misdemeanours, in the U. S. Circuit Court, New York, July, 1806. By Thos. Lloyd. Small 8vo, paper (somewhat time-discolored).
New York: Riley, 1807
Col. Smith and Mr. Ogden were indicted for setting on foot and promoting GENERAL FRANCISCO MIRANDA'S EXPEDITION AGAINST CARACAS, for the purpose of liberating South America from the yoke of Spain. An important trial, and rare.
- 362 **MISSISSIPPI TERRITORY.** Report of the Committee to which was referred the Memorial of the Legislature of the Mississippi Territory, praying for admission into the Union, as an independent state. 8vo, sewn, pp. 6. Washington, Dec. 23, 1816
The first official recognition of Mississippi's attempt to become a state, giving in detail the proposed lines of separation from Georgia as well as the southern and western boundaries, with a census of each of her counties.
- 363 **MISSISSIPPI TERRITORY LAWS.** STATUTES OF THE MISSISSIPPI TERRITORY; (etc.). Square 8vo, original sheep, pp. 495, (28).
NATCHEZ: PRINTED BY PETER ISLER, Printer to the Territory, 1816
Laws enacted in the Mississippi Territory prior to its division into the present states of ALABAMA AND MISSISSIPPI, with acts relating to MOBILE, MONTGOMERY, etc., etc.
Includes also THE CONSTITUTION OF THE UNITED STATES and Amendments thereto, THE ORDINANCE OF 1787, ARTICLES OF AGREEMENT AND CESSATION BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES AND GEORGIA, Acts of Congress relating to the Mississippi Territory, etc. VERY RARE.
- 364 **MISSISSIPPI.** The Charter, and Amendments thereto, of the Planters' Bank of the State of Mississippi. New York, 1833

365 MISSISSIPPI. Charter and By-Laws of the Commercial and Rail Road Bank of Vicksburg. 12mo, sewn, uncut.
Vicksburg: Printed by M. Shannon & Co., 1835

366 MISSISSIPPI LAND CLAIMS. Land Claims, &c. under 14th Article Choctaw Treaty. (Report on the memorials of certain Choctaw Indians and the resolutions and other proceedings of the Legislature of the State of Mississippi, together with the memorials of sundry citizens remonstrating against the confirmation of said claims, etc.) 8vo, sewn, totally uncut.

Washington, 1836

367 MISSISSIPPI RIVER. Lloyd's New Map of, from Cairo to its Mouth. Colored. 9 $\frac{3}{4}$ x 34 inches. In 12mo cloth case.
Cincinnati: Mendenhall, [ca. 1855]

368 MISSOURI TERRITORY. JEFFERSON (THOMAS) AND AUSTIN (MOSES). Message of the President . . . 8th November, 1804: (followed by, with separate title-page, "A SUMMARY DESCRIPTION OF THE LEAD MINES IN UPPER LOUISIANA; with an Estimate of their Produce for Three Years Past, the Increase in Population in their Vicinity since 1799, etc.) 8vo, sewn (MS. notes in some margins a trifle shaved at outer edges). Washington: Duane, 1804

THE DESCRIPTION OF THE MISSOURI LEAD MINES was written by MOSES AUSTIN, THE TEXAS PIONEER, and comprises some 22 pages. It was sent to THOMAS JEFFERSON in manuscript at the instance of CAPTAIN MERIWETHER LEWIS, former private secretary of President Jefferson and commanding officer of the "LEWIS AND CLARK EXPEDITION," who had just left the place on his long journey across the continent.

This copy agrees exactly in pagination with the one in the American Antiquarian Society Library, from which Mr. Tompkins took the collation for his bibliography of Jefferson. Mr. T.'s collation, however, is misleading. The present copy is quite complete, containing, in all, 17 printed leaves, including the two title-pages.

Though not written by a member of THE LEWIS AND CLARK EXPEDITION, this pamphlet is nevertheless of very great interest as having been THE FIRST TRACT DESCRIPTIVE OF ANY PART OF THE COUNTRY TRAVELED BY THE EXPEDITION, to come forth as a direct result of that momentous enterprise. Tall, crisp copy, with autograph of Senator Samuel W. Dana. RARE.

369 MISSOURI TERRITORY. Resolution of the General Assembly of the Missouri Territory, for the relief of the Inhabitants of New Madrid County, who have suffered by Earthquakes. 8vo, sewn.
Washington, 1814

370 MISSOURI TERRITORY. Easton (Rufus). Report of the Committee of Elections on the Memorial of Rufus Easton, contesting the election and return of John Scott, the Delegate, from the Territory of Missouri. 8vo, new boards, pp. 17. N. p., 1814

- 371 MISSOURI. BROADSIDE. To Col. James Mason. (A Letter, signed B. F Thomas, to James Mason, taking him to task for not supporting, in the Kentucky Assembly, a resolution favoring the admission of Missouri into the Union, etc.) Folio broadside, uncut. [Mount Sterling, Ky.?] 1828
- 372 MISSOURI. \$100 Missouri Defence Bond, C. S. A., with all coupons attached. Signed by W. Shields and countersigned by Gov. CLAIBORNE F. JACKSON. Dated Jan. 1, 1862.
- 373 MISSOURI RAILROADS. Geographical, Geological and Statistical Relations of the Ohio and Mississippi Railroad. 8vo, sewn. N. p., 1852
- 374 MORLEY (JAMES HENRY). A Memorial, 1824-89. *Portrait.* 8vo (slightly stained). Cambridge: Privately Printed at the Riverside Press, 1891
The only edition of Morley's Journal from St. Louis to Fort Benton, in 1862.
- 375 NAVAL PRINTS. Capture of H. M. Ships "Cyane" and "Levant", by the U. S. Frigate "Constitution". Lithograph by Jas. Queen after painting by Birch. 9 $\frac{3}{4}$ by 12 $\frac{3}{4}$ inches. N. p., [ca. 1840]
Bright impression of a scarce print.
- 376 NEBRASKA. Fulton (F. I. S.). To and Through Nebraska; (Travel and Description, History and General Observations for Emigrants, etc). *Folding Map of the Fremont, Elkhorn and Missouri Valley R. R. to the Free Homes for the Million.* 12mo, cloth. Lincoln, (Neb.): Journal Company, Printers, 1884
Scarce.
- 377 NEW JERSEY. Descriptions of the Colonies of East and West New Jersey (*sic*), Pennsylvania, Carolina, Virginia, Maryland, New York, New England, etc. 5 copperplate maps. Small 4to, sewn (excerpt, pp. 559-96), 1688.
At end of description of "EAST NEW JARSEY", appears the following notice to prospective emigrants:—"Such as desire to Transport Themselves and Families, or be otherwise concerned in this Colony, may be directed at the Sign of the Star in George Yard in Lombard-street, (London), where, and when, to meet with some of the Proprietors, who will give them further Information".
See also under NEW JERSEY AND PENNSYLVANIA LAWS, for rare Acts and Laws, 1732-1805.
- 378 NEW JERSEY. Lot of 18 odd numbers of the London *Universal Magazine* (containing Colonial Americana articles, etc.),

between April 1763 and June, 1767. *Few plates and maps.* 18 pes., 8vo, stitched, uncut (not collated—sold as they are).

London, 1763-67

All but five of the numbers have the autograph of SAMUEL SMITH, author of THE FIRST HISTORY OF NEW JERSEY.

- 379 NEW JERSEY. Report of the Commissioners appointed by an Act of the Legislature . . . for settling certain Differences between that State and the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and for other purposes. 8vo, sewn, uncut.

Trenton: Printed by James Wilson, 1817

RARE NEW JERSEY-PENNSYLVANIA BOUNDARY PAMPHLET. Relates to Wing-Dams, Docks and other obstructions to Navigation in the Delaware River. Fine copy.

- 380 NEW JERSEY. Legislature of New-Jersey. House of Assembly, Nov. 22, 1823. (Report of the Commissioners for Ascertaining the most eligible route for, and the probable expense of, a Canal to connect the tide waters of the Delaware and those of the Raritan, including the Report of John Randel, Jr.). *Folded table.* 8vo, wrapper, uncut.

N. p., 1823

- 381 NEW JERSEY. Report of the New-Jersey Commissioners upon the subject of a Canal from the Delaware to the Raritan. November, 1824. 8vo, sewn.

Trenton, 1824

THE FIRST MAP OF JERSEY CITY

- 382 NEW JERSEY. A Map of that part of the Town of Jersey, commonly called Powles Hook. Surveyed . . . April 15th, 1804 (by) Joseph F. Mangin, City Surveyor (of New York). 17 x 21. *P. Desobry's Lith'y, 62 Beaver Street, New York, [ca. 1825]*

RARE MAP, lithographed from the first manuscript survey of the town in 1804. It shows the town as laid off into squares, lots, streets, etc., and was issued by "the Associates of the Jersey Company", for the purpose of disposing of their property to settlers. Includes tables of "Rent Charges" and particulars as to "Regulation of the Ground". At this time, the town contained only a few hundred inhabitants.

- 383 NEW JERSEY. Message of the Governor, with the Report of the Commissioners appointed to settle the question of Territory and Jurisdiction in dispute with the State of New-York, etc. 8vo, sewn, uncut, pp. 64. Trenton: Printed by Joseph Justice, 1828

Presentation copy from P. D. Vroom.

- 384 NEW JERSEY. Report of the Joint-Committee of Council and Assembly (of New Jersey), appointed to view the Morris Canal and Inclined Planes. 8vo, sewn, pp. 27. [Trenton?] 1828

- 385 **NEW JERSEY.** Report of the Committee to whom was referred the subject of the Delaware and Raritan Canal, to the House of Assembly Jan. 15, 1829. 8vo, sewn, 36 pp. Trenton, 1829
- 386 **NEW JERSEY.** The Opinion of Isaac H. Williamson and Garret D. Wall on the validity of the Acts of the Legislature of New Jersey, respecting the validity of the Delaware and Raritan Canal and Camden and Amboy Railroad Cos. 8vo, sewn.
Trenton, 1834
- 387 **NEW JERSEY.** The Opinion of Mess. Binney and Chauncey, on the Acts of the Legislature of New Jersey, respecting the Delaware and Raritan Canal and Camden and Amboy Railroad Companies. 8vo, sewn.
Trenton, 1834
- 388 **NEW JERSEY.** Opinion of Isaac H. Williamson, Esq., and Garret D. Wall, Esq., in relation to the corporate powers of the "Trenton and New-Brunswick Turnpike Company". 8vo, sewn, uncut (slight repair on last leaf).
Trenton: Printed by Joseph Justice, 1835
- 389 **NEW JERSEY.** Journal of the Proceedings of the Convention to Form a Constitution for the Government of the State of New Jersey, May 14-June 29, 1844: (with the Constitution as adopted by the Convention, the Governor's Proclamation, etc.) 8vo, wrapper, pp. 297.
Trenton, 1844
Hon. William L. Dayton's copy, with his autograph on cover.
- 390 **NEW JERSEY.** Address of Commodore R. F. Stockton to the People of New Jersey in relation to the existing contracts between the State and the United Delaware and Raritan Canal and Camden and Amboy Railroad Cos. 8vo, sewn.
Trenton, 1849
- 391 **NEW JERSEY.** Report of the Majority of the Judiciary Committee of the House of Assembly . . . relative to Fishing in the River Delaware. 8vo, sewn, 8 pp.
Camden, N. J.: Printed by Gray and Elliott, 1850
- 392 **NEW JERSEY.** Proceedings before the Legislature, at its Session of 1850, in relation to the Application of the "Newark Plank Road and Ferry Company" for a Bridge over the Hackensack River. 8vo, sewn, 16 pp.
N. p., 1850
- 393 **NEW JERSEY.** Report of the Commissioners appointed to ascertain the Rights of the State and of Riparian Owners to the Lands lying under Water. 8vo, printed wrappers, pp. 74.
Jersey City: Printed by John H. Lyon, 1865

394 NEW JERSEY. Official Register of the Officers and Men of New Jersey in the Revolutionary War. Compiled by Gen. W. S. Stryker. 8vo, cloth, pp. 878. Trenton, 1872

Author's autograph inserted, and some manuscript additions. Scarce.

395 NEW JERSEY. The State of the Question of Jurisdiction and Boundary between New Jersey and Delaware. *5 folded maps printed on linen.* Small folio, sheep, pp. 328.

Trenton: Wm. S. Sharp's Printing House, 1873

VERY RARE, with the full complement of five maps and paged up to 328. Most copies end at page 173, and have no maps at all. This copy agrees with the N. J. State Library copy as well as that in the N. Y. Public Library in having 328 pages, though the last page (328) ends in the middle of a sentence, and the book appears to be incomplete. A fire, or some other accident at the printer's or bindery, must account for this singular state of uniform imperfection in the three most nearly complete copies ever seen.

NEW JERSEY. See also under NEW YORK TO PHILADELPHIA STAGE COACH LINES, No. 453, and under NEWSPAPERS, commencing with No. 546.

396 NEW JERSEY AND PENNSYLVANIA LAWS. The Acts of the General Assembly of the Province of New-Jersey, from the time of the Surrender of the Government of the said Province, to the Fourth Year of the Reign of King George the Second. [Edited by John Kinsey.] Small folio, original calf (one joint weak and few leaves slightly time-discolored), pp. (2), (12), 281.

Philadelphia: Printed and Sold by WILLIAM AND ANDREW BRADFORD, Printers to the King's Most Excellent Majesty, for the PROVINCE OF NEW-JERSEY, 1732

THE FIRST COMPILATION OF THE LAWS OF NEW JERSEY and the only known example of the above imprint. This copy came from the old Wetherill family, who were very prominent in Burlington, N. J. and Philadelphia in the early days, containing the autographs of Thomas and Samuel Wetherill. Samuel, the friend of BENJAMIN FRANKLIN, was the first cloth maker in Philadelphia and subsequently became THE EARLIEST MANUFACTURER OF WHITE LEAD IN THE UNITED STATES. He fought in the Revolution and was a large contributor of clothing to the distressed soldiers at Valley Forge.

With marginal annotations in an old hand and clippings from early newspapers laid in. RARE.

AN EXTREMELY RARE AND EARLY ACT OF THE NEW JERSEY ASSEMBLY, 1732

397 NEW JERSEY LAWS. Anno Regni Quarto Georgii II. Regis. . . . An Act the better to enable the Inhabitants of this Colony to support Government, to discharge their Engagements in the

CHAP. CXXII.

An ACT the better to enable the Inhabitants of this Colony to support Government, discharge their Engagements in the Loan-Offices, and for Relieving their other Necessities by making Current Twenty Thousand Pounds in Bills of Credit.

Sect. I. **F**OR Encreasing the Currency of this Colony, (now too small) for Enabling the Inhabitants thereof, the better to support the Government, to discharge their Engagements in the Loan-Offices, pay their Debts, and to relieve their other Necessities, We the House of Representatives do pray that it may be enacted, and,

Preamble.

Be it Enacted by the Governour, Council and General Assembly of this Province, and it is hereby Enacted by the Authority of the same, That Bills of Credit to the Value of <sup>20,000l. is
to be printed,</sup> Twenty Thousand Pounds current Money of ^{Bills of Credit} America, *viz.* according to an Act of Parliament made in the sixth Year of the Reign of the late Queen Anne, entituled, *An Act for Ascertaining the Rates of foreign Coins in her Majestys Plantations in America, shall be printed, made and prepared,* as followeth, *viz.*

Five Hundred Bills, each of the Value of Six Pounds, ^{500: of 6l. each.} or Seventeen Ounces Ten Penny Weight of Plate.

One Thousand Bills, each of the Value of Three Pounds, ^{1000: of 3l.} or Eight Ounces Fifteen Penny Weight of Plate.

Two Thousand Bills, each of the Value of One Pound ^{2000: of 1l. each.} Ten Shillings, or four Ounces, seven Penny Weight, and twelve Grains of Plate.

Four Thousand Bills, each of the Value of Fifteen Shillings, ^{4000: of 15s.} or two Ounces, three Penny Weight, and eighteen Grains of Plate.

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Loan-Offices, and for Relieving their other Necessities by making current TWENTY THOUSAND POUNDS IN BILLS OF CREDIT. Small folio, sewn, pp. 283-299, (2), (2).

N. p., n. d. [Philadelphia: Printed by Benjamin Franklin ?, 1732]

THE EXTREMELY RARE SECOND PART OF THE ACTS OF THE ASSEMBLY OF NEW JERSEY, passed at the May Session of 1730, authorizing an issue of £20,000 in PAPER CURRENCY. This act was one of such considerable moment at the time, that it had to be forwarded to England for the approval of the king in council before it could become a law. It was delayed in the mother country for two years, and did not arrive in America, with the king's assent, for sometime after the other acts with which it was passed, had already been printed. The manuscript and the royal approval were brought over by Governor Cosby in person in August, 1732.

The act is without title-page or colophon, and the printer is unknown. Both Hildeburn and Evans, as well as a host of subsequent bibliographers, have credited BENJAMIN FRANKLIN with having printed the New Jersey Session Acts of 1732, but as there was no session of the assembly during that year, it is certain that Franklin could not have printed for a colonial government, laws which had never been enacted. Hildeburn was a very reliable bibliographer, however, and it seems very unlikely that he would have ventured the listing of such a title, without having had before him some sort of information warranting the entry. And, although enacted in 1730, the act was first printed in 1732 and might easily have been confused with data regarding a law, or laws, passed in the latter year. The only act of the New Jersey Assembly, other than Kinsey's volume, which was printed in 1732, was the act above described, hence the interesting query,—was it printed by Franklin? He is known to have printed the New Jersey Session Acts of 1733, and was appointed public printer to the colony of New-Jersey the year previous, which facts undoubtedly add interest to the supposition. Kinsey's volume ends at page 281, verso blank. The act above is page 283-299, with two unnumbered leaves at the end, and Franklin's Acts of 1733 carries the pagination forward from 301 to 343. The above act, therefore, being a separately printed second part of the laws of 1730, supplies the gap between Kinsey's last page 281, and Franklin's first page 301, and is a necessary unit in a set of the original session laws of New Jersey, NO SET BEING COMPLETE WITHOUT IT. And having been put forth as a belated supplement, so to speak, to Kinsey's compilation, several months after that work had been bound up and issued to subscribers, its extreme rarity is not difficult to account for. It is not mentioned by either Hildeburn or Evans, and nowhere have we been able to find any reference to a copy being offered for sale except in an old English catalogue, dated 1862.

The demand for a paper money issue in New Jersey followed the passage of a similar act in Pennsylvania, and Franklin was largely instrumental in putting that legislation through the assembly. His first book, "The Modest Inquiry", was written in the interest of this bill and was the cause of his securing the job of printing the notes for both Pennsylvania and New Jersey.

The combination of circumstances here present is certainly of great interest to the bibliographical student, and it would be gratifying, indeed, if some future investigator should positively identify this piece as the supposed "Franklin Acts of 1732", which, for many years, has been considered as lost to bibliography.

[SEE ILLUSTRATION]

398 — Leaming (A.) and Spicer (J.). The Grants, Concessions and Original Constitutions of the Province of New-Jersey. The Acts passed during the Proprietary Governments and other material Transactions before the Surrender thereof to Queen

Anne, (etc., etc.). Small folio, original undressed calf, with label, pp. (4), 763. Philadelphia: Printed by W. Bradford, [1758]

FINE, CLEAN AND CRISP COPY, and the largest work issued from the press of William Bradford. Contains, "Grants, Concessions, etc., in Carteret's time, 1664-82; Laws in Carteret's time, 1664-82; Duke's Release to the Twenty-Four Proprietors; Constitutions, Instructions, etc., 162-1702; Laws passed under the Twenty-Four Proprietors, 1682-1702; Acts and Proceedings of the Legislature of West-Jersey, 1681-1701," etc. AN INVALUABLE COMPILATION OF EARLY MATERIAL RELATING TO NEW JERSEY HISTORY.

- 399 — The Acts of the General Assembly of the Province of New-Jersey, From the Year 1754 . . . to 1761. With Proper Tables, Index, Appendix, etc. By Samuel Nevill, Esq. Volume the Second. Small folio, old calf (small piece chipped from back, otherwise crisp, sound copy), pp. (4), 10, (2), 401, (4), 56, 64.

WOODBRIDGE, NEW-JERSEY: Printed by James Parker, 1761-60

The Appendix, containing the Acts relating to THE MILITARY FORCES OR THE COLONIES, was issued as a separate work the year previous, though it is generally found bound in with these laws.

This copy contains the two unpaged leaves at p. 368—"An Account of Money outstanding in Bills of Credit of the Province of New-Jersey, the First Day of January, 1761", etc. These leaves are printed on different paper and appear not to have been inserted in all copies.

- 400 — Acts of the General Assembly of the Province of New-Jersey, . . . 1702-1776. With the Ordinance for regulating and establishing the Fees of the Court of Chancery, Tables, Index, etc. Folio, old sheep (rubbed and joints cracked—one or two leaves discolored, though text for the most part unusually crisp and clean), pp. viii, 493, 6, 6, 4, 4, 3, 15.

Burlington, N. J.: Printed by Isaac Collins, 1776

Compiled by Samuel Allinson. David Allinson's copy, with his autograph in two places.

- 401 — Laws of the State of New-Jersey; Revised and Published, under the Authority of the Legislature, By William Paterson. Small folio, original boards, uncut (back strip missing and joint somewhat loose), pp. 455, xxii, 2, 46, (1).

Newark: Printed by Matthias Day, 1800

LARGE AND CRISP COPY, IN THE ORIGINAL BOARDS, TOTALLY UNCUT. VERY RARE in such exceptional state.

- 402 — The Public Laws of the State of New-Jersey, since the Revision by Judge Paterson, in 1800; occasionally referred to in the preceding volume. With an Index. 8vo, sewn, pp. (6), 56. Trenton: Printed by James Oram, 1805

- 403 — The Acts of the Assembly of the Province of PENNSYLVANIA; with an Appendix of such Acts, relating to Property, as are ex-

pired, altered or repealed, etc. [Compiled by Jos. Galloway.]
Folio, old sheep (rubbed and joints cracked, though a crisp copy).
Philadelphia: Hall and Sellers, 1775

Collation perfect, according to Hildeburn.

- 404 — The Acts of the General Assembly of . . . Pennsylvania . . . The Laws now in force, passed between Sept. 30, 1775 and the Revolution. With the Declaration of Independence (etc.). Small folio, original sheep, pp. (4), xxxi, (1), 527, viii.
Philadelphia: Printed and Sold by Francis Bailey, 1781

ONE OF THE VERY RARE ISSUE WITH DATE, "1781". "A copy in the American Antiquarian Society, supposed to be UNIQUE, bears the date, 1781."—Evans. Includes an interesting issue of "The Articles of Confederation of the United States". TEXT CLEAN AND CRISP.

RARE PENNSYLVANIA SESSION LAWS, 1781-1800

- 405 — Laws enacted in the [First Sitting of the] Sixth General Assembly of the Representatives of the Freemen of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, October 22—December 28, 1781. Volume II. Small folio, sewn, pp. 8.
Philadelphia: Hall & Sellers, 1782

The title-page to this session, designated Volume II, was intended to serve as a general title to the whole series of 12 sessions, when printing should be finally completed.

- 406 — Second Sitting of the Sixth Assembly, February 11, 1782. Small folio, sewn, pp. 9-81, (2).
Philadelphia: Hall and Sellers, 1782

- 407 — Third Sitting of the Sixth Assembly, August 1, 1782. Small folio, sewn, pp. 85-110, (1).
Philadelphia: Hall and Sellers, 1782

- 408 — (First Sitting of the) Seventh Assembly . . . October 28, 1782. Small folio, sewn, pp. (2), 115-126.
Philadelphia: Hall and Sellers, 1782

This session has a title-page, and the table occupies half of page 126.

- 409 — Second Sitting of the Seventh Assembly, January 15, 1783
Small folio, sewn, pp. 127-183, verso blank.
Philadelphia: Hall and Sellers, [1783]

- 410 — Third Sitting of the Seventh Assembly, August 14, 1783.
Small folio, sewn, pp. 185-254, (2)
[Philadelphia: Hall and Sellers, 1783]

- 411 — First Sitting of the Eighth Assembly, October 27, 1783.
Small folio, sewn, pp. 255-270, (1).
[Philadelphia:] Printed by Thomas Bradford, [1783]

- 412 —— Second Sitting of the Eighth Assembly, January 13, 1784.
Small folio, sewn, pp. 271-368, (3).
Philadelphia: Printed by Thomas Bradford, [1784]
- 413 —— Third Sitting of the Eighth Assembly, July 20, 1784. Small
folio, sewn, pp. 371-399, (2).
[Philadelphia:] Printed by Thomas Bradford, [1784]
- 414 —— First Sitting of the Ninth Assembly, October 25, 1784.
Small folio, sewn, pp. 401-415, (1).
[Philadelphia:] Printed by Thomas Bradford, [1784]
Pages 402 and 403 are misnumbered 442 and 443.
- 415 —— Second Sitting of the Ninth Assembly, February 1, 1785.
Small folio, sewn, pp. 417-587, (4).
Philadelphia: Printed by Thomas Bradford, [1785]
- 416 —— Third Sitting of the Ninth Assembly, August 23, 1785.
Small folio, sewn, pp. 589-704, (3)
Philadelphia: Printed by Thomas Bradford, [1785]
- 417 —— Acts of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of
Pennsylvania, passed at a Session begun . . . December 7, 1790.
Small folio, sewn, *title* and pp. iii-xxxix, 108, including *Table*.
Philadelphia: Hall & Sellers, 1791
The above, and the following 14 lots of PENNSYLVANIA SESSION LAWS
are all small folio in size, have the title-pages and all but one, (August
28, 1797, which was issued without it), include the Table at end. The
Acts, Dec. 1, 1795 to Dec. 3, 1799, were issued as they came out to the
Pennsylvania *Board of Property* and have the name on title.
- 418 —— Session begun August 23, 1791. *Title* and pp. [111]-174,
including *Table*. Philadelphia: Hall & Sellers, 1791
- 419 —— Session begun December 6, 1791. *Title* and pp. [177]-289,
including *Table*. Philadelphia: Hall & Sellers, 1792
- 420 —— Session begun December 4, 1792. *Title* and pp. [293]-442,
including *Table*. Philadelphia: Hall & Sellers, 1793
- 421 —— Session begun August 27, 1793. *Title* and pp. [445]-450,
(1), including *Table*. Philadelphia: Hall & Sellers, 1793
- 422 —— Session begun December 3, 1793. *Title* and pp. [455]-623,
including *Table*. Philadelphia: Hall & Sellers, 1794
- 423 —— Session begun September 1, 1794. *Title* and pp. [627]-644,
(1), including *Table*. Philadelphia: Hall & Sellers, 1794

- 424 — Session begun December 2, 1794. *Title* and pp. [649]-793; *Table*, i-v; *Index*, (39). Philadelphia: Hall & Sellers, 1795
- 425 — Session begun December 1, 1795. *Title* and pp. [1]-89, including *Table*. Philadelphia: Hall & Sellers, 1796
- 426 — Session begun December 6, 1796. *Title* and pp. [93]-182, including *Table*. Philadelphia: Hall & Sellers, 1797
- 427 — Session begun August 28, 1797. *Title* and pp. [185]-186. Philadelphia: Hall & Sellers, 1797
- 428 — Session begun December 5, 1797. *Title* and pp. [189]-316, including *Table*. Philadelphia: Hall & Sellers, 1798
- 429 — Session begun December 4, 1798. *Title* and pp. [319]-527, including *Table*. Philadelphia: Hall & Sellers, 1799
- 430 — Session begun December 3, 1799. *Title* and pp. [531]-622[621], including *Table* (slight tear in title at inner margin and 2 leaves somewhat time-spotted).
Lancaster: Francis & Robert Bailey, 1800
FIRST ISSUE, with error in pagination of last two pages.
- 431 — The same. Another copy (few pages time-discolored).
SECOND ISSUE, with error in pagination of last two pages corrected.
- 432 — Laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, from the 14th Day of October, 1700, [to the 31st of March, 1812]. With Notes and References [by Judge Charles Smith]: [*also, with separate title and separately paged*] General Index to the Laws of Pennsylvania, from October 14, 1700 to March 31, 1812. 5 vols. and Index vol. Together, 6 vols. in 5, 8vo, old sheep (some rubbed).
Philadelphia; Bioren, 1810-12
These five volumes are known as "Smith's Laws". Additional vols. were added later by Jos. Reed. Judge Smith's copious annotations are held in the highest esteem and are of great value. They display profound learning and research, and are accepted as authoritative by the courts throughout the state. The Index vol. (393 pages) is not always present, and is sometimes sold separately. See *Am. Book Prices* for 1911.
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Philadelphia: Bioren, 1810

This vol. contains Judge Smith's masterly treatise on the PENNSYLVANIA LAND LAWS—*A Connected View of the Land Titles of Pennsylvania, from its First Settlement to the Present Time*, "which is considered the most learned and exhaustive essay on that subject yet written". It covers 155 pages, closely printed in double column.

- 434 —— Kinsey (Charles). An Abridgment of Decisions of the Supreme Court, on certiorari to Courts for Trial of Small Causes. 12mo, old calf, pp. 100, (2). Burlington, N. J.: Allinson, 1815
- 435 —— [PENNSYLVANIA LAW JOURNALS.] LEGAL AND INSURANCE REPORTER. Edited by James Fulton. Vol. 1, Nos. 3-13; Feb'y 1-June 30, 1860; Vol. 2, Nos. 1-11, July 14-Dec. 15, 1860. With *Contents* to Vols. 1 and 2. 2 vols., folio, sewn. Philadelphia, 1860
Vols. 1 and 2 complete, all but the first two numbers of Vol. 1.
- 436 —— The same. Vol. 3, Nos. 1-24, Jan. 1-Dec. 16, 1861. Complete, with *Contents*. Folio, sewn. Philadelphia, 1861
- 437 —— The same. Vol. 4, Nos. 1-24, Jan. 1-Dec. 15, 1862. Complete, with *Contents*. Folio, sewn. Philadelphia, 1862
- 438 —— The same. Vol. 5, Nos. 1-24, Jan. 1-Dec. 15, 1863. Complete, with *Contents*. Folio, sewn. Philadelphia, 1863
- 439 —— The same. Another copy of Vol. 5. With *Contents*, but lacking No. 7.
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- 441 —— THE LEGAL GAZETTE. Edited by John H. Campbell. Vol. 3, Nos. 1-52, Jan. 6-Dec. 29, 1871. *Without title-page and Index.* Folio, unbound. Philadelphia, 1871
- 442 —— The same. Vol. 4, Nos. 1-52, Jan. 5-Dec. 27, 1872 (lacking Nos. 32 and 48). *With title-page and Index.* Folio, unbound. Philadelphia, 1872
- 443 —— The same. Vol. 6, Nos. 1-52, Jan. 2-Dec. 25, 1874. *With title-page and Index.* Folio, unbound. Philadelphia, 1874
- 444 —— The same. Vol. 7, Nos. 1-53, Jan. 1-Dec. 31, 1875. *Without title-page and Index.* Folio, unbound. Philadelphia, 1875
- 445 —— LEGAL OPINION. Vol. 2, Nos. 6-24, Dec. 9, 1871-April 13, 1872 (lacking Nos. 7, 9, 14); Vol. 3, Nos. 1-25, May 4-Oct. 26, 1872 (lacking No. 19); Vol. 4, Nos. 1-26, Nov. 2, 1872-May 3, 1873 (lacking Nos. 3, 6, (6a?), 15, 16, 20, 22); Vol. 5, Nos. 5-20, June 7-Oct. 11, 1873 (lacking Nos. 17, 22). In one vol., small folio, half bound (broken). Harrisburg, 1871-73

77 numbers in all, including a duplicate of No. 23, Vol. 3, and title-page and Index to Vol. 2. Publication ceased on October 11, 1873, the last number here present.

446 — THE NATIONAL BANKRUPTCY NEWS. Vol. 1, Nos. 1-24, Dec. 1, 1898-Nov. 15, 1899. Complete, with the Syllabi-Digest of Contents and the 5 Supplements. Folio, half bound (broken).
Detroit, 1898-99

447 — THE JOURNAL OF LAW. Conducted by an Association of Members of the (Philadelphia) Bar. Vol. 1, Nos. 1-24:—*all issued.* 8vo, cloth. Philadelphia: Atkinson, 1833

448 NEW JERSEY IMPRINT. Campbell (Samuel, of Connecticut Farms, N. J.). Something New, in Eight Letters to Joseph Meeker, of Elizabeth-Town. Occasioned by reading Miscellaneous Essays by Joseph Lyon, Sen., of Lyon's Farms. 12mo, sewn, uncut. [Elizabeth-Town, 1799]

RARE. Unknown to Sabin, Allibone and others. Fine copy.

449 NEW MEXICO. Governor's Message and Journals of the Council and House, Twenty-third Legislative Assembly of the Territory of New Mexico, convened at Santa Fe, Jan. 7-Feb. 15, 1878. 8vo, wrappers. Santa Fe, [1878]

Complete with the special appendix, "An act prohibiting incestuous marriages"; also Gov. Axtell's Message, with separate cover and pagination.

450 NEW MEXICO. Armstrong (S. C.). Report of a Trip . . . to some Indian Reservations of the South West. Philadelphia: Ind. Rights Ass'n, 1884

NEWSPAPERS, MAGAZINES, ETC. See under **NEWSPAPERS** at end of catalogue, commencing with No. 546.

451 NEW YORK. GENESEE COUNTRY. [Williamson (Charles).] Description of the Genesee Country—Its Rapidly Progressive Population and Improvements. *View of Fort Oswego, engraved by T. Clarke and Map.* (Supplement to Vol. IV, of the Universal Geography.) 8vo, sewn. New York: Low, 1799

452 NEW YORK CITY. LURTING (ROBERT—Mayor of New York, 1730). Document on vellum, "complementing WILLIAM SMITH, Gent., Attorney at Law, with the Freedom of the Corporation". Signed also by William Harpas, Clerk. $7\frac{1}{4}$ x 17 inches. Dated, 11th February, 1730.

William Smith, father of the historian, was one of the most eminent of the early New York lawyers and was prominently connected with the ZENGER and other notable cases of his time.

453 NEW YORK TO PHILADELPHIA STAGE COACH LINES, 1775. ORIGINAL AUTOGRAPH DOCUMENT, signed, of JOHN MERSEREAU, of Staten Island, 2 pp., folio, January, 1775.

A petition "To the Governor, Council and General Assembly of the Colony of New Jersey". The petitioner states that he has "at great expense and trouble set up STAGE WAGGONS AND COACHES FROM PAULUS HOOK (JERSEY CITY) ACROSS STATEN ISLAND AND THROUGH NEW JERSEY TO PHILADELPHIA, which was and is very much used by the public in General"; and that he has sunk "near eight hundred pounds" in the venture; and that he is threatened with serious losses owing to "the badness of a certain Road from opposite the Dutch Church on Staten Island through Bergain Woods in the Way to Poules hook, which damages his Carriages more than all the rest of the road from Paulus hook to Philadelphia". Having found a more satisfactory detour, which he says is about to be shut up by the Surveyors of the Highways of "Essex and Bergain" counties, "to serve the sinister purposes of certain individuals interested in the ferrys upon other Roads from Philadelphia to New York", he prays that the use of the better road be secured to the public by legislative enactment.

454 NEW YORK VIEWS. The High Bridge at Harlem, N. Y. COLORED lithograph by N. CURRIER, 152 Nassau St. cor. Spruce, N. Y. 8.2 x 12.11. (Slight discolorations and slightly torn into at upper corner, though nothing missing). Copyrighted, 1849

Good, crisp copy, having been preserved in a scrapbook.

455 NEW YORK VIEWS. Catalogue of the Percy R. Pyne Collection of Views of New York and other American Cities. Numerous reproductions, many colored. Priced. Royal 8vo, limp boards. New York, 1917

456 NORTH CAROLINA LAND CLAIMS. Report of the Committee to whom was referred a Petition of Memucan Hunt, and, others, to the Assembly of North Carolina, respecting a claim for the value of certain Lands in Tennessee (held under grants from North Carolina). 8vo, sewn. [Washington, 1802]

ORIGINAL EDITION, not listed in Poore. Autograph of Sen. Sam'l W. Dana.

457 NORTH CAROLINA IMPRINT. Gill (J.). An Abridgement of an Exposition of the Book of the Prophet Isaiah. 4to, old sheep (one cover loose).

Halifax: Printed at the Office of the North Carolina Journal, 1806

458 NORTH EASTERN BOUNDARY. Gallatin (Albert). The Right of the United States to the North-Eastern Boundary Claimed by Them. 8 Maps. 8vo, half cloth. New York, 1840

459 NORWICH CITY DIRECTORY (THE); containing the Names of the Inhabitants of Norwich, Norwich Town, Bean Hill,

Yantic, Greenville, and Part of Preston, etc. 1857. By W. H. Boyd. *Plate and numerous extra pictorial leaves of ads.* 12mo, cloth. Norwich, Conn., [1857]

The First Directory of Norwich.

- 460 **NOWLAND (JAMES A.).** Report of the Superintendent of New Alamaden Mines, Jan. 1, 1867; (with desription of the discovery of the lode, the opening of the first tunnels). 8vo, wrappers, pp. 20. San Francisco, 1867

- 461 **OHIO.** Report of the Joint Committee of Both Houses of the Assembly, on the Communication of the Auditor of State upon the subject of the Proceedings of the Bank of the United States against the Officers of State, in the U. S. Circuit Court. 8vo, sewn (few. pp. time-spotted).

Columbus: Printed by P. H. Olmsted, 1820

Unknown to Thomson, and RARE.

- 462 **OHIO.** Cases decided in the Supreme Court of Ohio, upon the Circuit and at a Special Session in Columbus, Dec., 1823. Reported by Chas. Hammond. Vol. 1, Parts 1 and 2. 8vo, unbound, pp. xxxv, 560. Cincinnati, 1824-25

The Second Part has separate title-page. Two Indexes at end.

- 463 **OHIO RATIONAL BRETHREN.** The Belief of the Rational Brethren of the West. 12mo, boards (hinges worn).

Cincinnati: Printed for the Society, 1819

A communistic society that existed for only a short period. It has been confused with the Shakers, but was in fact antagonistic to them. Contains, "Articles of Association in conformity with which the Rational Brethren of the West do agree to live and act." Not in Sabin or Thomson's Bibliography of Ohio. Apparently the first copy offered.

- 464 **ONEIDA COMMUNITY.** Noyes (J. H.). Male Continence. 8vo, original wrappers. Oneida, N. Y., 1872

- 465 **OREGON.** The Missouri Expedition. [An Interesting, Original Essay on the Importance and Consequences of the Lewis and Clark Expedition, written especially for *The Evening Fire-Side* (Vol. 11, No. 48, for Nov. 29, 1806).] 4to, sewn, 4 leaves.

Philadelphia: Jos. Rakestraw, 1806

This discussion of the advantages secured to the United States by the explorations of Captains Lewis and Clark, at this early date, is of great interest. The writer prophesies that THE OREGON COUNTRY "some few half centuries hence, is destined to be inhabited by millions of mankind, where there now roam but scanty hundreds", and, at the outset, argues vigorously in favor of the American title to the territory explored. Only 2 vols. of the *Fire-Side* were issued in all, the above being succeeded by but four subsequent numbers when the work expired. The article, which is signed "U", is here first published, and is probably to be found nowhere else in print. RARE.

- 466 OREGON. King (T. Butler). Report . . . on the Memorial of C. H. Todd, praying "that the contract of Arnold Harris, made with the Sect'y of the Navy, 1847, to carry the U. S. Mail to and from Panama and Oregon, may be annulled and given to him as the lowest bidder". 8vo, sewn, pp. 44. [Washington, 1848]

THE ORIGINAL OREGON MEMORIAL TO CONGRESS,
1851

- 467 OREGON MEMORIAL. Reported by Mr. Deady of the Council from the Joint Committee to Memorialize Congress. 8vo, sewn, uncut, pp. 8. [Salem, Oregon, 1851]

The only known copy of this vitally important pamphlet. Not in Cowan or Smith's Check-List. The memorialists describe the law of the Provisional Government which fixed the seat of government at Willamette Falls as the act of a few missionaries and trappers, and as the first attempt at government in the territory except that initiated by the Hudson's Bay Company. The Memorialists, eighteen in number, had just met at Salem, enacted laws, etc., for the Territory, and wished confirmation from Congress for such acts.

- 468 OVERLAND RAILROADS. Journal of the Proceedings of the South-Western Convention, held at Memphis, Tennessee, 12th November, 1845. 8vo, original wrappers. Memphis, 1845

One of the earliest conventions for the consideration of western transportation, the committee suggesting that the terminus of the proposed trans-continental railroad be at the head of California Bay "or in the more imposing seaport of San Francisco." Preceding by five years the famous St. Louis convention.

The first copy to be offered at public sale.

- 469 OVERLAND RAILROADS. Robinson (Mr.). Whitney's Railroad to the Pacific. Report of the Committee on Roads and Canals, March 13, 1850. 8vo, sewn (small corner of one page torn off), pp. 117. Washington, 1850

This rare item is really the first official report in favor of the construction of a railroad and electric telegraph from the Mississippi River to the Pacific Ocean, according to the plan submitted by Asa Whitney. With the 2 folding maps complete.

- 470 OVERLAND RAILROAD. Kirkwood (James P.). First Annual Report of the Board of Directors of the Pacific Railroad and the Report of the Chief Engineer upon the Preliminary Surveys. 8vo, original printed wrappers. St. Louis, 1851

The first report, very rarely found complete. Has the FOLDING MAP AND TWELVE FOLDING SURVEYS.

- 471 OVERLAND RAILROADS. Mix (Col. George A.). Report of the Exploration of the Proposed Route of the Dubuque & Pacific Railroad. 8vo, original wrappers, pp. 8.

Dubuque: Printed at the Daily Tribune Office, 1855

RARE. The first copy recorded, as far as known.

- 472 OVERLAND RAILROADS. Conklin (Edgar). The Pacific Railroad. 8vo, sewn, pp. 14. N. p., [1860]

Author's separate, privately printed, describing the spread of the Gold Rush from Fraser's River to Pike's Peak. Proposing a branch road to Vancouver's Island, etc.

- 473 OVERLAND RAILROADS. Stevens (Hon. Isaac I.). Pacific Railroad—Northern Route. Letter of Hon. Isaac I. Stevens, Delegate from Washington Territory to the Railroad Convention of Washington and Oregon called to meet at Vancouver, W. T., May 20, 1860. 8vo, sewn (stained), pp. 24.

Washington, 1860

- 474 OVERLAND RAILROAD. Oregon & California Eisenbahn. Beantragtes Arrangement zwischen der Oregon & California Eisenbahn-Gesellschaft und den Bondsbesitzern. 8vo, wrappers. Frankfort, 1874

- 475 OVERLAND RAILROADS. Robinson (George H.). An Analytical Review of the Southern Pacific Company including its Proprietary, Leased and Affiliated Lines covering the period from January 1st, 1890 to December 31st, 1895. *Folding colored map showing the lines owned and operated by the Southern Pacific Co.* 4to, half leather (rubbed). No date or place of publication.

This review which was prepared for *private use only*, was limited to TWENTY FIVE COPIES, of which this is No. 18. Every indication would lead to the belief that this was issued for the eyes of the directors alone. No copy has appeared in any records of sale. There may have been another copy or two not destroyed after perusal, but it is doubtful. Not mentioned in Johnston's Bibliography.

- 476 PACIFIC ISLANDS. Wheeler (D.). Extracts from Letters and Journals, while engaged in a religious Visit to the Islands of the Pacific (the Sandwich Islands), etc. 8vo, cloth (few pp. discolored). Philadelphia, 1840

Best edition, with matter omitted from the London issue.

PANAMA CANAL. See under CANALS.

- 477 PELEW ISLANDS. Keate (George). An Account of the Pelew Islands. New Edition. 8vo, half calf. Basil, 1789

- 478 PENNSYLVANIA. Report of the Register-General of the State of the Finances of Pennsylvania, for 1794. Small folio, sewn (one leaf frayed at edge). Philadelphia: Poulson, [1795]

The Register-General's First Report. VERY RARE.

PENNSYLVANIA LAWS. See under NEW JERSEY AND PENNSYLVANIA LAWS, commencing with No. 403.

¶ PERIODICAL LITERATURE. See Nos. 546-632.

- 479 PIKE (ALBERT). The Life-Wake of the Fine Arkansas Gentleman, who Died Before His Time. *Portraits*. 8vo, full contemporary morocco, gilt edges (very slightly rubbed).

Washington: Franklin Philp, 1859

ONLY A FEW COPIES PRIVATELY PRINTED, as a souvenir of a reception given by JOHN F. COYLE and others to ALBERT PIKE, following a premature announcement of his death in the daily papers; consisting of PREMATURE ANNOUNCEMENT OF HIS DEATH IN THE DAILY PAPERS; consisting of PREMATURE ANNOUNCEMENT OF HIS DEATH IN THE DAILY PAPERS; consisting of ADDRESSES, etc. by PIKE and others.

PRESENTATION COPY FROM JOHN F. COYLE, the "host", to JOHN W. FORNEY, with inscription; and A SPECIAL COPY, having inserted PORTRAITS OF PIKE, the "Chief Mourners" and others (20 in all), with identifying inscriptions by Forney, some autographed by the persons themselves, etc. Three A. L. S. of John W. Forney laid in. Forney was a staunch friend of PRESIDENT LINCOLN and contributed largely towards bringing about his election. VERY RARE.

- 480 PIRATES. Wise (H. A., U. S. N.). Captain Brand, of the "Centipede". A Pirate of Eminence in the West Indies: His Loves and Exploits, Etc. *Illustrations*. 8vo, cloth.

New York, 1864

FIRST EDITION. Fine copy.

- 481 PIRATES. Mizzen (Matt.). The Flying Arrow; or, The Pirate's Revenge. 8vo, sewn: [also] The Black Cruiser; or, The Scourge of the Seas. 8vo, wrappers. 2 vols. New York, n. d.

- 482 PITTSBURGH DIRECTORY, 1837. Harris' Pittsburgh Business Directory, for the Year 1837. Numerous illustrated business cards. 12mo, cloth (binding somewhat discolored in places). Pittsburgh: Isaac Harris, 1837

Contains historical sketch of the City of Pittsburgh as well as of NUMEROUS OTHER TOWNS in the Ohio Valley, including those in the States of OHIO, (WEST) VIRGINIA, etc.; EARLY TURNPIKE AND WAGON TRANSPORTATION BUSINESS, Steamboat Traffic and Building, etc., etc.

- 483 PORTLAND DIRECTORY. Business and General Directory of Residents for Portland and East Portland, 1869; together with statistical information. Compiled by S. J. McCormick. Illustrated with a folding map of the City of Portland, by C. W. Burrage. 8vo, printed boards. Portland, 1869

- 484 PRATT (DANIEL). Autobiography of. The Great American Traveller and Original Know Nothing and the National Candidate for the next President of the United States. Illustrated with curious woodcuts. 8vo, original wrappers, uncut. Boston, 1855

Includes visit to the South Seas, Michigan, etc. Printed for the author, after being rejected by the twelve most prominent publishers of the time.

- 485 **PRICES OF PRODUCE, 1808-1810.** Manuscript record book of purchases of Meats, Vegetables, etc., for the table of a wealthy Philadelphia family, with daily entries, 1808-10. 84 pages, small 4to, 1808-10.
- 486 **PRINCETON COLLEGE.** Old water color drawing (in monochrome) of NASSAU HALL. Size, 9 $\frac{3}{4}$ x 15 inches. Not signed or dated, but apparently about 1830.
- 487 **RAILROADS.** [Evans (Oliver).] Patent Right Oppression Exposed; or Knavery Detected, in an Address to obtain a Repeal of the (U. S.) Patent Laws, etc. FIRST EDITION. 12mo, stitched, uncut. Philadelphia: Folwell, 1813
- Evans was the inventor of THE FIRST STEAM-PROPELLED LAND-CARRIAGE ever operated in America ("a steam waggon that would itself on rail ways drag on"). Anecdotes of early Am. Inventors, their experiences, inventions, etc., legal references, reflections on the Patent Laws, etc.
- 488 **RAILROADS.** Letter to the Hon. John Letcher in relation to the Rock River Valley Union R. R. Co. and its application for a grant of the public lands. 8vo, wrappers, pp. 44.
Milwaukee, 1854
- Rare Wisconsin Railroad pamphlet from the collection of President Fillmore with his autograph on cover. Includes a re-issue of the famous Smith Letter on Wisconsin Railroads, London, 1851.
- 489 **RAILROADS.** Poor (H. V.). Manual of the Railroads of the U. S., for 1868-69. *Illustrations.* 8vo, cloth. New York, 1868
The First Volume of the Series of "Poor's Manuals." VERY SCARCE.
- 490 **REPORTS AND REALITIES** from the Sketch-Book of a Manager of the Rosine Association (for the reformation, etc., of Females who had led Immoral Lives). 12mo, cloth.
Philadelphia, 1855
- 491 **RIPLEY (R. S.).** The War with Mexico. *Maps.* 2 vols., 8vo, half calf (corners rubbed and lib.-stamp in margins of several leaves—text otherwise crisp, clean and unused).
New York: Harper, 1849
THE BEST HISTORY OF THE MEXICAN WAR. ORIGINAL EDITION. Scarce.
- 492 **ROCKY MOUNTAIN SPORTS.** Shields (G. O.). Hunting in the Great West. (Rustlings in the Rockies). Hunting and Fishing by Mountain and Stream. *Illustrations.* 12mo, cloth.
Chicago, 1888
Presentation copy from the author, with autograph inscription.
- 493 **ROOSEVELT (THEODORE).** Antics of Imperialism. Joggles' Heart-To-Heart Talk with "Roosevelt Men". (Copyrighted by DeWitt C. Bouton.) 8vo, paper. N. p., [1906]

- 494 ROOSEVELT (THEODORE). Realizable Ideals (The Earl Lectures). *Portrait*. 12mo, cloth, uncut. San Francisco, 1912
 FIRST EDITION.
- 495 ROOSEVELT (THEODORE). L. s., 1 p., 4to, New York, Dec. 4, 1918. To C. A. Browne.
- In answer to a request for information regarding songs sung by THE ROUGH RIDERS in the Spanish-American War. "I do not remember any songs at that time. Of course, in camp, the men often sang, but I never heard them sing in battle", etc.
- 496 SAFFORD (GOVERNOR A. P. K.). Memorial of. *Portrait*. 8vo. N. p., n. d.
- Crossed the plains in 1850 with a large army of emigrants; Member of California Legislature 1856-57; Surveyor-General of Nevada, 1865.
- 497 ST. CLAIR (ARTHUR). Letter from the Governor of the North-western Territory (to W. H. Harrison) on the subject of a Division of the said Territory and the Petition of (200) Inhabitants of Knox County in the North-western Territory. 8vo, sewed, pp. 8. Philadelphia, 1800
 An important document on the old French and English land grants, urging a division of the Illinois, Ohio and Indiana territory.
- 498 SCOTT (JOSEPH M.). Our Early Times. Historical Sketch of St. Albans Township (Ohio). 8vo, sewn. Newark, Ohio: American Office, 1873
- 499 [SCOTT (W. A.)] My Residence In And Departure From California. 8vo, sewn, pp. 31. Paris, [1861]
 An important California narrative, unknown to all bibliographers. The author, who was well known because of his interest in the Vigilantes, became involved in a controversy because of his alleged sympathy with the Confederate cause. He moved to Paris, where he printed privately this narrative.
- 500 SEA NARRATIVES. Frink (Henry C.). Alow and Aloft, On Board and On Shore. 16mo, cloth, uncut. Rochester, (N. Y.): Wm. Alling, 1842
 Unknown to Sabin, Allibone and others.
- 501 SHIP PICTURES. Lithographic view of the American Clipper Ship, "Armenia". (On title to sheet music.) 4to.
 [Paris, ca. 1850]
- 502 SHIPPING. List of American Vessels that arrived at and departed from St. Petersburg, 1820; List of American Ships that passed the Sound in 1820; with Fisher's report on the (American) Trade with St. Petersburg, etc., etc., printed and in manuscript. 28 pages, folio. St. Petersburg, 1819-20

- 503 **SHIPS OF THE 18TH CENTURY.** [A Treatise on Ships of War and other Vessels, Ship-Building, etc. Compiled from the best authorities.] 16 large, full-page copper plates of ships and objects related to them, scientific plates for ship-building, etc., by Thackara and others. 4to, old half sheep (covers loose: excerpt, pp. 367-434; text clean and crisp). Philadelphia: Dobson, 1798
With key plate, giving names of the various parts of a FULL-RIGGED SHIP OF THE TIME, down to its most minute accessories.
- 504 **SHIPWRECKS.** Kirkham (Samuel, Jr.). Remarkable Shipwreck (The Steamboat "Tennessee", etc., etc.) and Chronological Tables. 16mo, boards. Harrisburg, 1824
A very scarce little volume, unknown to Sabin and others. Fine copy.
- 505 **SLAVERY.** Wesley (John). Thoughts upon Slavery. 12mo, sewn. London: Re-printed in Philadelphia, 1774
- 506 **SLAVERY.** Original Manuscript Minute Book, with Constitution, List of Members, etc., of the Uwehlan Anti-Slavery Society, (Chester County, Pa.) ; with minutes of Meetings Feb. 17, 1837 to Feb. 2, 1842. Covering about 55 pages of a small 4to blank book (some blank pp. filled in with family receipts at a later date). 1837-42
- 507 **SONG BOOKS.** The Log Cabin Song Book. A Collection of Popular and Patriotic (Campaign) Songs. Illustrated. 12mo, original printed wrappers (personal military stamp on 3 interior leaves). New York: The Log Cabin Office, 1840
- 508 **SOUTH CAROLINA.** Pike (J. S.). The Prostrate State: South Carolina under Negro Government. 12mo cloth. New York, 1874
- 509 **SOUTH SEAS.** Anno Regni Georgii II, etc. [An Act to enable His Majesty to be Governor of the SOUTH SEA COMPANY.] Small folio, sewn, (pp. (2), 15-16.) London: J. Baskett, 1727
- 510 **SOUTH SEAS.** Anno Regni Georgii II, etc. [An Act to discharge the Trustees appointed (by an Act of the Seventh Year of His late Majesty's Reign, for raising Money upon the Estates of the late Directors of the SOUTH SEA COMPANY, and others) of their Trust, and to vest in the said Company such of the Estates, which were vested in the said Trustees, as remain undisposed of, as also the produce of such Estates and Effects, as have been disposed of by the Trustees. Small folio, sewn, (pp. (2), 211-219), uncut. London: By the Assigns of His Majesty's Printer, 1729

511 **SOUTH SEAS.** Anno Regni Georgii II, etc. An Act for the further Application of the Sinking Fund, by paying off One Million of South Sea Annuities. Small folio, sewn, (pp. (2), 403-408), uncut.

London: By the Assigns of His Majesty's Printer, 1731

512 **SOUTH SEAS.** Anno Regni Georgii 11, etc. [An Act for the further Application of the Sinking Fund, by paying off One Million of SOUTH SEA STOCK; and for appropriating the Supplies granted in this Session, etc.] Small folio, sewn, (pp. (2), 331-343). London: J. Baskett, 1732

513 **SPICE (R. P.).** The Wanderings of the Hermit of Westminster between New York and San Francisco, in the Autumn of 1881. 8vo, boards.

N. p.: Printed for Private Circulation [London, 1881]

Presentation copy.

514 **SPIRIT OF THE LAKES, AND BOATMEN'S MAGAZINE.** Edited by R. H. Leonard. Vol. 1, Nos. 1 to 12 (*all published?*) 8vo, half roan. Sandusky City, 1849

An exceedingly scarce Western Periodical, containing among other articles the Bethel Flag in Oregon, Disasters on the Western Rivers, Commerce of the West, etc.

A RARE PAMPHLET ON THE INDIAN WARS IN OREGON AND WASHINGTON

515 **STATEMENT** of the Oregon and Washington Delegation in regard to the War Claims of Oregon and Washington. 8vo, sewn, uncut., pp. 76. N. p., n. d. [1859]

In 1856 Jefferson Davis appointed Captain Andrew J. Smith, Captain Rufus Ingalls, and Lafayette Glover of Salem, Oregon, to examine in detail the expenses (and other details) incurred in the suppression of the Indian hostilities in the late Indian War in Oregon and Washington. This is their report complete.

516 **STEWART (CATHERINE).** New Homes in the West. 12mo, original cloth (slightly worn). Nashville: Cameron and Fall, 1843

A rare narrative of life, adventures and personal observations during ten years travel and residence in the Western Country, 1830-42. The author lived among the Pottawattamis at St. Joseph, Michigan. Many valuable particulars of the Councils and the Treaty of Chicago, in 1833; a voyage down the Mississippi to Nauvoo and St. Louis, etc.

517 **STRYKER'S AMERICAN QUARTERLY REGISTER AND MAGAZINE.** Edited by James Stryker. Complete from May, 1848 to January, 1851, when publication ceased. Illustra-

tions. 5 vols., thick 8vo, half brown morocco (worn spot on one back and slightly rubbed in places).

Philadelphia and New York, 1848-51

Largely taken up with ORIGINAL HISTORICAL MATERIAL relating to THE UNITED STATES, particularly CALIFORNIA, OREGON and the newer sections of THE WEST:—The Overland Route to California, with itinerary of Distances, where to find wood and water, etc., by Maj. Carleton; An Account of Oregon and its Indiau Tribes, by I. Mitchell; Expedition of Crooks, Miller, McClellan and 60 men across the Rocky Mountains to Oregon, with Narrative of the Return Journey, from St. Louis papers of 1813; An Overland Journey to the Pacific in 1811; A Descriptive Account of California and the Routes, by "S"; California Adventures, by Caleb Lyon (First Gov. of Idaho); Formation of the Government of California and Deseret; California, by a Resident of Eighteen Years, etc., etc. Wagner, No. 155.

- 518 STUECKLE (HEINRICH). Die Eisenbahn über den Isthmus von Tehuantepēc. *Illustrated with two folding colored maps.* 8vo, original wrappers, pp. 19. New York, 1869

One map shows the Wagou Road, Telegraph and Railroad to be constructed; the other shows in detail all the known routes to California, illustrated by lines of various colors. The only copy noted with BOTH THE MAPS.

- 519 STURGIS (THOMAS). Common Sense View of the Sioux War with True Method of Treatment. 8vo, wrappers (torn). Waltham, Mass., 1877

- 520 TELEGRAPH LINE WASHINGTON TO BALTIMORE, 1845. Vail (Alfred). Description of the American Electro Magnetic Telegraph: now in operation between Washington and Baltimore. *Illustrated.* 8vo, original printed wrappers. Washington: Gideon, 1845

Contemporary account of THE FIRST SUCCESSFULLY OPERATED TELEGRAPH LINE in any part of the world. The author assisted Prof. Morse in perfecting the invention.

- 521 TEMPERANCE. [Benezet (Anthony).] The Mighty Destroyer Displayed, in some account of the Dreadful Havock made by the abuse of Distilled Spirituous Liquors. 12mo, sewn. Philadelphia, 1774

With reference to intemperance among the American Indians.

- 522 TEMPERANCE. White (P. S.) and Pleasants (H. R.). The War of Four Thousand Years; Hist. of Efforts to Suppress Intemperance: with an Account of the Sons of Temperance. 12mo, cloth (two blank margins defective). Philadelphia, 1846

- 523 TENNESSEE. Remonstrance and Petition of the Legislature of the State of Tennessee. Dec. 4, 1797. 8vo, new boards, pp. 27. [Philadelphia, 1797]

The excessively rare original petition by John M'Clellan, Pat Sharkey and James Gillespy on THE CHEROKEE BOUNDARY BETWEEN NORTH CARO-

LINA AND TENNESSEE: also the report of the Congressional Committee March 10, 1796. As issued, pages 174-201. This document is the basis for all court decisions on Tennessee Land titles.

- 524 **TENNESSEE.** Tennessee Reports, or Cases Ruled and Adjudged in the Superior Courts, Federal Court and Supreme Courts for the State of Tennessee. By John Overton. Vol. 2 only. 8vo, old sheep.

[Nashville]: Printed by T. G. Bradford, 1817

Autograph of John Williams, one of the early judges of the state.

- 525 **TEXAS.** [Lundy (Benjamin).] The War in Texas (Lawless Proceedings of Western Adventurers, History of Texas Colonization, Invasion of Texas by General Gaines, etc.) 8vo, sewn.

Philadelphia, 1837

**ORIGINAL EDITION OF THE FIRST SECTIONAL MAP
OF TEXAS. COLORED COPY, WITH MANUSCRIPT
ADDITIONS**

- 526 **TEXAS.** J. De Cordova's Map of the State of Texas. Compiled from the records of the General Land Office, by Robert Creuzbauer. With inset map of Texas and parts of Mexico, California, [New Mexico], the Indian Territory, Missouri, Arkansas and Louisiana. 32 $\frac{3}{4}$ x 35 $\frac{1}{2}$, folded into a 12mo roan packet-case. HOUSTON, (TEXAS): J. De Cordova, [1848]

COLORED COPY OF THE ORIGINAL EDITION OF THE FIRST SECTIONAL MAP OF TEXAS, locally published. Copyrighted in Texas, 1848, and attested by SAM HOUSTON, THOS. J. RUSE and others as being the only accurate emigrant's map of the state extant at the time. It also bears THE AUTOGRAPH SIGNATURE OF DE CORDOVA, without which "all copies have been fraudulently obtained".

AN INTERESTING COPY, WITH MANUSCRIPT ADDITIONS, giving a list of the fifteen FORTS OR MILITARY STATIONS in various parts of the state, the locations of which are indicated on the map, and the names of the different regiments, etc. quartered thereat on January 1, 1850. The manuscript additions also include THE COURSES OF A NUMBER OF MILITARY ROADS running in various directions, with notations as regards distances, etc. and the location of Indians in large numbers, etc.

This copy was evidently prepared for the use of the U. S. Troops in Texas by Col. Joseph E. Johnston or some of the other officers of the Topographical Engineers, who were making explorations and surveys in Texas at this time.

ORIGINAL EDITION, printed separately, without any accompanying text. Unknown to Raines and rare.

- 527 **TEXAS.** Otero (Hon. M. A.). Texas Volunteer Regiment. A Speech, April 18, 1860; (describing the Indian raids in New Mexico, 1851-1854, their fear of the Navajos, a new account of Kit Carson and the Utah Indians, etc.). 8vo, sewn, pp. 16.

Washington: H. Polkinhorn, [1860]

- 528 **TEXAS.** Letter of Gen. A. J. Hamilton (Military Governor) of Texas, to the President (A. Lincoln). 8vo, half morocco, covers preserved. New York: Bryant, 1863
- 529 **TOBACCO.** Original Manuscript Agreement, signed, between Richard Gernon & Co., of Philadelphia, distributors, and John Hankart, of Logans Mills, Pa., manufacturer, regarding the sale of manufactured Tobaccos. In French and English. 9 pp. folio (somewhat worn at two folds). Dated Dec. and Jan., 1797.
Signed also (twice) by CLEMENT BIDDLE, the REVOLUTIONARY SOLDIER and FRIEND OF WASHINGTON, etc.
- 530 **TRASK (JOHN B.).** Report on the Geology of the Sierra Nevada, or California Range; (with account of the last active volcanos on Feather River in 1850-52, Quartz Mining, etc.) 8vo, sewn, uncut, pp. 34. [San Francisco]: George Kerr, 1853
- 531 **TRIALS.** Case of Trevett against Weeden; on Information and Complaint, for refusing Paper Bills in Payment for Butcher's Meat, at par with Specie. Tried before the Supreme Court, County of Newport, 1786. By J. M. Varnum. Small 4to, sewn. Providence: J. Carter, 1787
An important and historic early American trial.
- 532 **VIRGINIA.** Extract From an Address in the Virginia Gazette of March 19, 1767. 12mo, sewn, pp. 4.
[Philadelphia: Henry Miller, 1767]
An Address to the Assembly of Virginia on THE ABOLITION OF SLAVERY AND THE RETRIEVAL OF SPECIE in that Colony. One of the earliest appeals in the South for the abolition of Slavery.
- 533 **VIRGINIA.** Semple (R. B.). A History of the Rise and Progress of the Baptists in Virginia. 8vo, old sheep (some leaves discolored). Richmond, 1810
- 534 **VIRGINIA.** Grigsby (H. B.). Discourse on the Life and Character of Hon. L. W. Tazewell (1774-1860). 8vo, cloth.
Norfolk, 1860
A. L. s. of the author inserted.
- 535 **VIRGINIA CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION, 1829-'30.** Proceedings of the Convention of Virginia, begun at Richmond, October 5, 1829, for the purpose of Altering the Constitution of the State. Royal 8vo, pp. 64.
Richmond: Printed at the Enquirer Office, 1829

Supplementing the text of the pamphlet above (of which apparently no more was issued), are the original numbers of the *Richmond Enquirer* for Nov. 3, 1829 to March 30, 1830 (Nos. 56-112), which contain the subsequent debates and proceedings of the Convention, etc. The numbers of the paper not necessary for the completion of the text, and

which are not present, are as follows—56, 63, 73, 74, 79, 80, 82, 90, 98, 102, 105. The whole is bound up in half sheep, folio, with leather label of W. Cox Ellis, a resident of Virginia at the time. It seems probable that Mr. Ellis preserved the text in this form as being preferable to that of any subsequent edition. Mr. Joynes' speech on the "Basis of Representation", is included in an Extra (No. 14) of 4 pages, to the Richmond Enquirer, for Nov. 5, 1829.

THE NEW CONSTITUTION was adopted on January 14, 1830 and it appears for the first time in the Enquirer on Jan. 16. The later numbers contain letters, etc. relating thereto.

- 536 **VIRGINIA AND NORTH CAROLINA.** Moore (M. H.). Sketches of Pioneers of Methodism in North Carolina and Virginia. 12mo, cloth. Nashville, 1884

- 537 **WAR OF 1812.** The Adventures of Uncle Sam in search after his Lost Honor. By Frederick Augustus Fidfaddy, Esq. 12mo, (crude) boards, uncut (faint stamp on title and somewhat discolored). Middletown, 1816

A burlesque history of the War of 1812.

- 538 **WAR OF 1812.** The Port Folio. Edited by Charles Biddle. Third Series, Vols. 1-6, 1813-1815. *52 plates, engraved in stipple and aquatint.* 6 vols., 8vo, old half red morocco (*neat, crisp and clean set*). Philadelphia, 1813-15

Complete Set of the Third, or "WAR OF 1812" SERIES, with the fine series of engraved portraits of AMERICAN NAVAL OFFICERS, by Edwin and others (with biographies), plates of NAVAL ENGAGEMENTS, VIEWS, including an early view of "BUFFALOE", N. Y., ROBERT FULTON'S STEAM BOAT on the Hudson, etc., etc.

- 539 **WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA.** Sloan (D. H.). A History of the Presbytery of Kittanning. 8vo, cloth. Pittsburg, 1888

- 540 **WEST INDIES.** Anno Regni Georgii 11, etc. [An Act for granting an Aid to His Majesty by Sale of Annuities . . . charged upon the Duties on Coals and Culm; and for . . . enlarging the time for exchanging Nevis and St. Christopher's Debentures for Annuities, etc.] Small folio, sewn, (pp. (2), 431-448), uncut. London: J. Baskett, 1728

- 541 **WICKLIFFE (ROBERT).** Speech in the Senate of Kentucky in response to certain resolutions from South Carolina. 8vo, sewn, uncut. Frankfort, Ky., 1830

- 542 **WILLIAMSON CASE.** [SLAVERY.] The Petition and Arguments of Counsel in the Case of Passmore Williamson, before the Supreme Court in Banc, at Bedford, Pa., etc. (Supplement to the N. American, Aug. 26, 1855). Folio broadside, printed on both sides. Philadelphia, 1855

- 543 WILSON (SIR SAMUEL). The Californian Salmon, with an account of its introduction into Victoria. *Frontispiece.* 8vo. Melbourne, 1878

Presentation copy from the author with many corrections and additions in his hand. A privately issued enlarged author's separate.

- 544 WYLD (JAMES S.). Map of the United States and Relative Positions of Oregon and Texas. 16" x 22", printed in color, with tipped in inserts showing the British claims to Oregon. Folio, folded and mounted. London, 1845

The rare original map used by the British to establish the Oregon and Texas boundaries. The eight different colored lines show the boundaries of 1783, 1805, 1818, 1824, 1826, 1828, 1835, and the Treaty lines between Russia and the U. S., 1824.

- 545 YELLOWSTONE NATIONAL PARK. Complete set of Haynes Water Color Photographs, colored from nature. Twelve plates, each 9" x 12", mounted, in original labelled box.

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The First Colored Views of the Yellowstone; the plates include Grand Canyon, Old Faithful, the Punch Bowl, Great Falls, etc.

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- 546 NEWSPAPERS, MAGAZINES, ETC. The Maryland Gazette; or, The Baltimore Advertiser. Vol. 5, No. 315, for Oct. 12, 1787. Folio, pp. 4. Baltimore, 1787

Includes two papers on the FEDERAL CONSTITUTION.

- 547 —— The Massachusetts Centinel, for Dec. 8, 1787, Feb. 9, 1788. Boston, 1787-88;—Thomas's Massachusetts Spy; or, The Worcester Gazette, for June 12-Aug. 7, 1788. Worcester, 1788. 4 Nos., folio. Boston and Worcester, 1787-88

All contain matter relating to the new FEDERAL CONSTITUTION.

- 548 —— The Lady's Magazine; and Repository of Entertaining Knowledge. Vol. 1 only. *Frontispiece and eng. title* (blank margins defective), *Index.* 8vo, limp boards, uncut. Philadelphia: Gibbons, 1792

- 549 —— (New York) Weekly Museum. Vol. 13, Nos. 42-52; Vol. 14, Nos. 1-35 (lacking 6, 22, 27 and 28), Aug. 1, 1801-June 12, 1802. 4to, half sheep. New York: Harrison, 1801-2

550 —— Prospectus (1802) of *The Apollo*, "a new daily paper to be published at the seat of government by Wm. Duane and Son"; preceded by receipt, to John Brackenridge, of a year's subscription. 12mo, leaflet. Washington, 1802

An endorsement on back shows that the paper was never published.

551 —— THE TRENTON TRUE AMERICAN. Vol. 3, No. 108, for March 28, 1803. (Correspondence between Samuel Adams and Thomas Paine, etc.) Folio, pp. 4.

Trenton, (N. J.): Wilson and Blackwell, 1803

A VERY RARE PAPER, the series containing considerable historical material; Laws, etc. Trenton at this time was a very small village, containing, perhaps, not more than three or four hundred houses. Scott puts the number in 1795 at two hundred.

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553 —— The same. Vol. 7, Nos. 313, 317, 329, April 6-June 22, 1807. 3 pieces, folio (small piece from one corner). Trenton, 1807

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- 562 —— The same. Vol. 12, Nos. 589-91, June 15-July 6, 1812. 3 pieces, folio (small piece out of text and worn at two folds).
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- 564 —— The same. Vol. 12, Nos. 611-13, Nov. 16-30, 1812. 3 pieces, folio.
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- 567 —— The same. Vol. 16, No. 821; Vol. 17, No. 888; Vol. 18, No. 892; Vol. 25, No. 1269; Nov. 25, 1816-June 25, 1825. 4 pieces, folio.
Trenton, 1816-25
- 568 —— The Evening Fire-Side; or, Weekly Intelligence. Vol. 1, 52 Nos. complete, *with title and Index*, Dec. 15, 1804-Dec. 28, 1805. 4to, old half sheep (some pp. discolored).
Philadelphia: Jos. Rakestraw, 1804-5
Includes descriptive letters, notices of exploring expeditions, historical extracts, anecdotes, etc. relating very largely to the newly acquired countries in THE WEST AND SOUTHWEST—LOUISIANA PURCHASE, INDIANA AND MISSISSIPPI TERRITORIES, etc., etc.
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Philadelphia, 1806
Contents similar to preceding vol. Work ceased with No. 52, its few subscribers being “more remarkable for their respectability than numbers”. Includes curious account of an emigrant bound for OHIO passing through Philadelphia with his wife, a female and two small children, with no other vehicle than a wheelbarrow.
- 570 —— The Portfolio. Vol. 5, Nos. 1-51 (lacking No. 48), Jan. 12-Dec. 28, 1805. 4to, half sheep.
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Havana, 1810

- 572 — The Rural Visiter: A Literary and Miscellaneous Gazette. Vol. 1, complete in 52 Nos., with title-page and Index, July 30, 1810-July 22, 1811. 4to, old half sheep (some pages discolored—some edges frayed).
 Burlington, N. J.: D. Allinson and Co., 1810-11
- 573 — The Juvenile Port-Folio, and Literary Miscellany. Vols. 1 and 11 complete, Oct. 17, 1812-Dec. 10, 1814. *With titles and indexes.* 2 vols., 8vo, half sheep (stained in places, some edges frayed and 3 leaves defective). Philadelphia, 1812-14
 Edited by Thos. G. Condie, Jr.
- 574 — The Parterre, A Weekly Magazine. Conducted by a Trio (Cora and Chas. Chandler). Vol. I, Nos. 1-26, June 15-Dec. 28, 1816. 8vo, sewn, uncut. Philadelphia, 1816
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- 575 — The American Register; or Summary Review of History, Politics and Literature. (Edited by Robert Walsh, Jr.) Vols. 1 and 2, *with titles and Indexes.* [All published.] 2 vols., 8vo, boards, uncut (one cover lost and lower margins in Vol. 1 discolored). Philadelphia: Dobson, 1817
 FLORIDA (WESTERN BOUNDARY) QUESTION STATED, by H. M. Brackenridge; Conspiracy of Benedict Arnold and Sir Henry Clinton; INTERNAL IMPROVEMENT; Domestic Chronicle; Interesting Law Cases, etc.
- 576 — The Christian Journal and Literary Register. Vols. 2, 4, 5, 7. 4 vols., 8vo, half calf (two vols. unbound and first 4 leaves of Vol. 7 partly defective at upper corner). New York, 1818-23
- 577 — The American Journal of Science and Arts. Edited by Benjamin Silliman and others. *Numerous plates (many in colors), portraits by Pendleton and others, colored and other Maps, Views, etc.* First Series, Vols. 1-41 (lacking Vols. 14 and 40). 39 vols., 8vo, old half calf (some vols. broken, with covers off, etc.; some pp. discolored). New York and New Haven, 1818-41
- 578 — The Independent Balance. By Democritus, The Younger, A Lineal Descendant of the Laughing Philosopher. (George Helmbold). Vol. 4 (Nos. 161-208); Vol. 5 (Nos. 210-244); Vol. 6 (Nos. 245-262;—lacking Nos. 180, 209, 213, 215, 217, 238, 242 and 243), May 10, 1820-April 17, 1822. *Illustrations.* 94 nos. in all, folio, old half sheep (broken, tears in few leaves and some discolored). Philadelphia, 1820-22

One of the earliest of the American *yellow journals*, depending for its popularity on its scurrilous and mendacious attacks upon persons in the public eye, regardless of their character or standing. RARE.

- 579 — The Rural Visiter, A Literary and Miscellaneous Magazine. Vol. 11, complete in 24 Nos., with title-page, Index and supplementary "Journal of News" for 1821, pp. 32—(*no more published.*) 8vo, old half sheep (some pp. discolored), uncut.
 Burlington City, N. J.: D. Allinson, 1821
- This Second Volume, resumed after the lapse of ten years, is EXTREMELY RARE. "In July, 1811, the editor announced he was under the necessity of dropping *The Visiter*. Whether its publication was afterwards resumed cannot be ascertained, nor can any record be found of a local paper subsequent to the *Visiter* of an earlier date than 1836."—*Carter's Half-Hour in Burlington*.
- 580 — The Northern Whig. No. 34 of Vol. 12, for Aug. 21, 1821. Folio, uncut. Hudson, N. Y.: W. B. Stebbins, 1821
- 581 — The Saturday Evening Visiter, a Domestic, Political, Agricultural and Miscellaneous Gazette. (Vol. 1), with *title-page and Index*, (*probably all published*). Folio, half sheep.
 Burlington, N. J.: D. Allinson, 1825
- Apparently an unknown paper, and VERY RARE.
- 582 — The American Sunday School Magazine. Vols. 2 and 4, 1825-27, with *titles and Indexes*. 2 vols., 8vo, half sheep (one stained). Philadelphia, 1825-27
 The first publication of the kind in the U. S.
- 583 — Supplements to the Connecticut Courant. 88 Nos., complete from Oct. 18, 1825 to Feb. 17, 1829. [Not numbered, but paged consecutively from 1 to 704.] In one vol. 8vo, old sheep (one number misplaced). [Hartford], 1825-29
 These supplements are in 8vo magazine form and are devoted almost exclusively to Literature, History (largely American), Agriculture, etc. Includes poem, "*The Rivulet*", by W. C. BRYANT, (here first published?)
- 584 — The Evangelical Witness. Edited by Jas. R. Wilson. Vol. 4, Nos. 1-12, with *title and Index*. 12mo, half roan (somewhat spotted). Newburgh, N. Y., 1826
- 585 — Lehigh Republican. Vol. 1, No. 33, for July 27, 1826. Folio, pp. 4. Allentown, Pa.; John Roney, 1826
- 586 — The Church Register, (Protestant Episcopal). Edited by Rev. George Weller. Vol. 1, Nos. 1-52, Jan. 7-Dec. 30, 1826, with *title-page and Index*. 4to, old half sheep (joint split). Philadelphia: Dobson, 1826
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- 587 — The same. Vol. 2, Nos. 1-52, Jan. 6-Dec. 29, 1827, with *title-page and Index*. 4to, old half sheep. Philadelphia, 1827

- 588 — The same. Vol. 3, Nos. 1-52, Jan. 5-Dec. 27, 1828, *with title-page and Index.* 4to, old half sheep. Philadelphia, 1828
With the conclusion of this volume, the paper passed into other hands.
- 589 — The Religious Messenger, of the Philadelphia (M. E.) Conference. Vols. I and II, 52 Nos. each (104 in all—**ALL PUBLISHED**), Jan. 5, 1826-Dec. 27, 1827. 2 vols. in one, folio, half sheep. Philadelphia, 1826-27
Includes Shipping News, Prices Current, Missionary Intelligence, Marriages and Deaths, Summary of News, etc. Unknown to Scharf and WESTCOTT. RARE.
- 590 — The Mercantile Weekly Report: (Havana Prices Current, Shipping News, Exports and Imports, etc.). Vol. 6, No. 193; and Vol. 8, Nos. 241, 244, 246, 248-49, 252-54, Apl. 21, 1827-June 21, 1828. 8 nos., 4to. HAVANA, (CUBA), 1827-28
- 591 — The same. Vol. 9, Nos. 256-57, 261-62, 265, 268, 271, 280, July 5-Dec. 20, 1828. 9 nos. Havana, 1828
- 592 — The same. Vol. 10, Nos. 283, 290, 299; Vol. 11, Nos. 309 and 317, Jan. 10-Sept. 5, 1829. 5 nos. Havana, 1829
- 593 — The Correspondent. Edited by George Houston. Vols. 1-3 and 5, *with titles and Indexes.* 4 vols., 8vo, half calf (2 vols. broken and one cover missing). New York, 1827-29
A RADICAL FREETHOUGHT MAGAZINE. Only 5 vols. were published. VERY SCARCE.
- 594 — Precios Corrientes: (Prices Current and other mercantile information. Text in French, Spanish and English). For November 4, 1828. Small folio, pp. 2. VERACRUZ, (MEXICO) : Felis Mendarte, 1828
- 595 — Lima Price Current, (with Exports, Exchange, etc.). For April 24, 1828. Small folio, pp. 4. LIMA, (PERU) : By Alsop, Wetmore & Co., 1828
With manuscript additions.
- 596 — The Scholar's Quarterly Journal. Edited by Emerson Davis, of Westfield Academy. Vols. I and II, Feb'y, 1828-Nov. 15, 1829, *all published.* 2 vols., 8vo, sewn. Westfield, (Western, Mass.) : Press of the Westfield Register, 1828-29
VERY RARE. The editor claims this to have been THE FIRST YOUTHS' POPULAR SCIENCE JOURNAL published in the United States. Includes notice of Schoolcraft's TRAVELS IN THE NORTHWEST and other Americana articles. The second volume was intended to appear monthly, but skips here and there, and ends at No. 8.

- 597 — The Religious Magazine, or Spirit of the Foreign Theological Journals and Reviews. Vols. 1-4. 4 vols., 8vo, boards, uncut (title stamped and some pp. spotted). Philadelphia, 1828-30
- 598 — The Journal of Health. Conducted by an Association of Physicians. Vols. 1-2, Sept. 9, 1829-Aug. 24, 1831, *with titles and Indexes. Illustrations.* 2 vols., 8vo, half roan (not uniform, some pp. discolored). Philadelphia, 1829-31
- 599 — The Protestant. (Editor's name not given) Vol. 1, Nos. 1 to 52, Jan. 2-Dec. 25, 1830. Small folio, half sheep. New York, 1830
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 The first Farm Journal in the U. S.
- 601 — The Pioneer. Vol. 1, Nos. 1 to 52, March 6, 1830-Feb'y. 26, 1831. Folio, half sheep (one leaf a little defective at outer edge). Philadelphia: Weeks and Perry, Military Hall, 1830-31
 A short-lived paper, devoted largely to MILITARY MATTERS and biography, etc. Includes, "Henry St. Clair. A Tale", by JOHN G. WHITTIER.
- 602 — The Banner of the Church. Vol. 1, Nos. 1-52, Sept. 3, 1831-Aug. 25, 1832 (lacking Nos. 27, 33 and 35, Nos. 37, 23 and 25 being inserted in their place in duplicate), *with title-page and Index.* Small folio, boards. Boston: Stimpson and Clapp, 1831-32
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 Rare paper. Unknown to Sabin, etc.
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- 605 — The same. Vol. 3, Nos. 1-52, Mch. 23, 1833-Mch. 15, 1834. Folio. New York, 1833-34
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- 607 — The same. Vol. 5, Nos. 1-52, Meh. 21, 1835-Meh. 12, 1836.
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- 609 — The same. Vol. 7, Nos. 1-51 (lacking No. 17), Meh. 18,
1837-Meh. 3, 1838. Folio. New York, 1837-38
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Edited by W. P. Gibbons. Vol. 1, Nos. 1-7, Aug., 1834-Feb'y.,
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17-23 and 25), Sept. 24, 1836-Sept. 16, 1837, with Indexes. In
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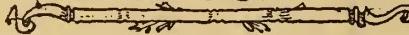
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